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NEWS SUMMARY

THE SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST.

The Japanese armies are advancing on Mukden with a broad front, whose wings respectively rest on the Liao river and the mountains, 27 miles to the eastward. The Japanese advance has pushed back along this line Russian Cossack cavalry, inflicting heavy losses. Reinforcements which have arrived for both belligerents are being rushed to the front to relieve the men who fought at Liao-Yang. Two new Japanese army corps await transports to take them to Manchuria, where, it is said, they will be used in a winter campaign. Officers of the guard regiments, stationed at St. Petersburg, it is reported, have been ordered out, and a proportion of them will be drafted for immediate service in the far east. A dispatch from Mukden says that fighting is expected at Sin-Min-Tin, 35 miles from Mukden. The Russians suspect the Chinese officials of secretly aiding the Japanese advance.—Page 1.

FOREIGN.

The earl of Yarmouth appears in amateur plays in England, for the benefit of a parish church.—Page 1.

DOMESTIC.

Senator Knox will make a campaign speech in New York city.—Page 16.

Democrats get into three-cornered fight at New York state convention.—Page 1.

Leader of Democracy of Massachusetts declares for Roosevelt.—Page 1.

Democratic party has gone to pieces in Ohio.—Page 1.

Bandits overpower an Italian section gang near Chicago and kill two of them.—Page 1.

Peace union spent a day in Chicago unnoticed by the city officials.—Page 1.

Ministers are appointed for churches in the East Ohio Methodist Episcopal conference.—Page 10.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Snake eggs are found near Elizabeth and a sample will be loaned to the Carnegie museum, in Pittsburgh.—Page 2.

One person is killed and others hurt by a street car accident in Hollidaysburg.—Page 8.

A man and woman commit suicide at York.—Page 9.

LOCAL.

Pittsburgh Railways Company refuses to extend transfer system in East End.—Page 3.

George Westinghouse entertains delegates to International Electrical Congress with banquet at East Pittsburgh.—Page 1.

Allegheny business men have decided to thoroughly investigate the "graft" charges.—Page 3.

Col. W. E. Thompson and Lieut.-Col. J. N. Corbett unanimously re-elected by the Fourteenth, but the two majorities have new incumbents.—Page 3.

Third Vice President Fitzpatrick of the Trainmen's organization will make known result of the referendum strike vote as soon as he can confer with General Manager Peck.—Page 12.

At important meetings held in Pittsburgh yesterday sheet bars and small billets were rated $2 higher and bars were placed at $1.40.—Page 12.

Councilman Frederick says Director Moore is given chance to resign.—Page 6.

George Westinghouse has resigned as a Republican candidate for presidential elector, and his place on the ticket will be taken by Maj. A. P. Burchfield.—Page 5.

LEGAL.

Orphans court dismisses the exceptions of Nattie McLean to the decree of Judge Hawkins in J. O. Brown estate, but allows claim of Mrs. Craft.—Page 11.

George S. Fleming's will is filed, but will not be probated until a final hearing on the caveat next Monday.—Page 16.

SPORTING.

The Pittsburgh team left last night for the final eastern trip.—Page 9.

There were some surprises in the grand circuit races at Columbus.—Page 9.

The New York Americans have increased their lead for the pennant.—Page 9.

FINANCIAL.

Prices lost ground on the New York stock exchange and there was a decided shrinkage in the volume of business. Liberal sales of holdings further depressed the Chicago wheat market, and other cereals are also down.—Pages 14 and 15.

THE WEATHER

Showers.

Showers today and fair and cooler for tomorrow, is the Washington forecast for Pittsburgh and vicinity. The maximum temperature yesterday was 81 and the minimum 58 degrees. The sun rose foggy at 6:04 o'clock and set cloudy at 6:22 yesterday. The daily report, furnished by the local weather office, follows:

Time.	Baro.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.13	60	88	N.E.	Clear.
8 p. m.	30.07	76	65	W.	Cloudy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for September 19:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum	81	65	Mean	70	55
Minimum	58	45	Precipitation	..	..

Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	66	Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.08
Excess for day	4	Dfcy. since Sept. 1.	.10
Exc. since Sept. 1.	3	Exc. since Jan. 1.	.24
Dfcy. since Jan. 1.	543		

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Showers Tuesday; Wednesday fair, cooler; variable winds, becoming brisk northwest, Wednesday.

West Virginia—Showers Tuesday; Wednesday fair, cooler.

Ohio—Showers Tuesday; Wednesday showers and cooler; variable winds, becoming northwest, Tuesday night.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

El Paso	86	Clear	Cincinnati	70	PtCldy
Cairo	74	Cloudy	St. Louis	72	PtCldy
Oklahoma	76	Cloudy	Chicago	68	Clear
Memphis	76	Cloudy	Omaha	80	Cloudy
Buffalo	58	Clear	Nashville	72	Cloudy
St. Paul	68	Cloudy	Louisville	74	Cloudy
Helena	56	Clear	Vicksburg	76	Clear
Huron	52	Cloudy	Kansas City	80	PtCldy
Bismarck	44	Cloudy	Washington	74	Cloudy
Duluth	46	Cloudy	New Orleans	82	Clear
Salt Lake	78	Cloudy	Philadelphia	70	Cloudy
Denver	66	Clear	New York	70	Clear

When in New York stop at Gregorian hotel, 35th st., West, near 5th ave.

OHIO PROMISES GREAT VICTORY

Democracy Has Gone to Pieces in the Buckeye State.

PARKER UNPOPULAR

Life-Long Democrats Do Not Think the Judge Stands for Anything.

BIG ROOSEVELT PLURALITY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19.

Representative James Kennedy, Youngstown, O., was here today on business before the departments. He is full of enthusiasm and confidence and predicts that Ohio will give Roosevelt 100,000 plurality this fall.

"There is no Democratic party in Ohio so far as the head of the ticket is concerned," he said. "Of course, they have their county and congressional tickets, but on the presidential question, the people are practically united. They are for Roosevelt. I have been about the state a good deal and find the sentiment much the same everywhere. I never saw a situation similar to it. In the city of Youngstown, and conditions there are analagous to conditions in other places, you cannot with certainty pick out more than a few Democrats with votes for Parker. So far as I know, but one man is sure to do so, and he wants to be postmaster in the event of Democratic success. He is talking so that his regularity cannot be questioned.

"The Democrats don't think Parker stands for anything. I had a talk with a lifelong Democrat on Saturday. He expressed the belief that Parker was nominated by Wall street influences and that the men conducting his campaign are interested in his success only that the legislative power of the government may be made negative during the coming four years, through a Republican senate and a Democratic president and possibly a Democratic house. The Republicans are uniformly enthusiastic for Roosevelt.

"My own district, the Eighteenth, is sure to go Republican, and I feel confident the Republicans will carry all the districts they now have, except the Thirteenth, and to offset that we will win in the Columbus district, so that party representation from Ohio in congress will not be changed." L. W. STRAYER.

EARL OF YARMOUTH MAKES HIT WITH A VILLAGER

Appears in Two Amateur Productions in the Interest of the Parish Church.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]
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LONDON, Sept. 19.—"Why, you would almost take him for an actor," was the perfectly sincere but ambiguously expressed compliment paid by a villager of Little Moulton regarding the earl of Yarmouth last night when the earl took part in a theatrical entertainment which he had arranged in order to raise funds to purchase a new organ for the parish church.

The village hall had not a single empty seat when the curtain rose on "The Shades of Night," by Capt. Marshall. The earl took the part of Sir Ludovic Trivett Phantom. His white satin costume was magnificent. "The Shades of Night" was followed by "Crazed," a rollicking farce, in which the earl appeared in distinctly comic guise.

THROUGH TROLLEY FROM PITTSBURGH TO CHICAGO

It Will Soon Follow Electrifying of the Ohio River & Western Railroad.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, O., Sept. 19.—The Appleyard traction syndicate is shortly to issue $750,000 or 40-year 5 per cent bonds, the proceeds of which are to be used in converting the Ohio River & Western railroad from steam into electricity and to build an electric line between Bellefontaine and Lima. This work will be undertaken next spring.

Through traffic will then be installed between Wheeling, W. Va., and Lima, O., and by transfer service at Columbus or Springfield between Wheeling and Indianapolis. The fast sleeper service from Indianapolis to Newark will be extended into Wheeling, and local traction men assert that it is only a question of a few years before Pittsburgh, Cincinnati and Chicago will be connected by fast through trolley service.

BANDITS KILL TWO.

Overpower a Gang of Italian Section Men, Rob Them and Escape.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Late tonight two robbers broke into the section house at Riverside, 15 miles south of Chicago, which was occupied by several Italian railroad men. The Italians were ordered to give up what money they had. Instead of complying the Italians rushed on the robbers and tried to overpower them. In the fight that followed two of the Italians were killed and another was severely injured.

Seeing that they were getting the worse of the fight, the other occupants of the section house fled and left the robbers in full possession. They secured all the money which the men had secreted about the place and escaped.

OH, I DON'T THINK I WANT ANY HONEY
MANCHURIA
RUSSIA
S'MATTER?

Peace Talk Getting Stronger Every Day.

TAMMANY TIGER IS AFTER HILL

Three-Cornered Fight Is On at New York Democratic State Convention.

MEANS PARTY DISRUPTION

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Tammany, McCarren and Hill are fighting a three-cornered battle in Saratoga that is likely to kill the last chance of Judge Parker had of carrying New York state. What Tammany wants, McCarren won't have; what Hill wants, Tammany would upset, and what McCarren wants—the nomination of Controller Grout—makes Murphy and his cohorts froth at the mouth. It now looks like the fiercest battle ever fought by the New York state Democracy.

Tammany has no candidate, but the wigwam leaders promptly throw stones at every head that appears. No one is willing to hazard a guess as to who the leader of the party in the state will be, but it would appear that the choice lies between Edward M. Shepard, Judge D. Cady Herrick, Edward M. Grout and George M. Palmer, with Col. Daniel S. Lamont always in the background.

The only hope for harmony seems to be in the nomination of Lamont, and he says he won't have it. Tomorrow is likely to develop a lovely scrimmage that will end in the party's practical disruption.

MUCH PENSION MONEY REVERTING TO TREASURY

Only Forty-Five Thousand Veterans Make Application Under the Executive Order.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—For the first time in the history of the government, money appropriated for pensions is going back to the treasury. This is due, according to reports of the officers of the pension bureau, to the fact that under the executive pension order No. 78, only 45,000 new pensioners have applied.

This order gave a pension to all veterans of the war over 62 years of age, ranging from $6 a month upwards. When this order was issued it was expected the number to apply under its provisions would reach at least 200,000 or 300,000. The sum of $1,500,000 was appropriated to pay these expenses.

After investigation, the pension bureau has been able to find only 18,303 veterans who are not receiving some kind of a pension, and 28,806 who could get an increase under the order. Consequently, of the $1,500,000 appropriated, only $90,000 has been used.

DOYLESTOWN BANKERS MUST STAND TRIAL

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Henry Lear and George P. Brock, officials of the Doylestown National bank, under indictment charging them with misapplying funds of the institution to the amount of $130,000, will be tried in the United States district court next Monday. The counts against the defendants number 360, each based on the issuing of a check. Those upon which the counts against Brock are found range from $1,250 to $6,400. Misappropriation charged against Lear extend from July 16, 1901, to July 29, 1903.

Soldiers Held for Manslaughter.

ATHENS, O., Sept. 19.—As a result of a preliminary hearing, Sergts. Lott, Snyder and Duffey, Trumpeter Plumb and Privates Barnett, Davidson, Johnstone, Pearson and Raymond of the Fourteenth artillery were held to the Athens county grand jury tonight on charges of manslaughter, growing out of the killing of Ohio Guardsman Clark at Warren. Three men were dismissed. In default of bail the men were committed to jail. Private Gavdas, an artilleryman, swore that Private Pierson fired the shot that killed Clark.

Payne Resumes Duties.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Postmaster General Payne has returned after an absence of several weeks and today resumed his duties in the department.

ROBERT T. PAINE FOR ROOSEVELT

Democratic Leader of Massachusetts Will Vote for the President.

PLAINLY STATES HIS POSITION

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Robert Treat Paine, Jr., twice the Democratic candidate for governor of Massachusetts and one of the leaders in the party in the Bay state, has announced that he will vote this year for Roosevelt and Fairbanks. In a statement he has given out Mr. Paine says:

"I am going to vote for Roosevelt. I am democratic enough still to feel that I want the president of this country to be democratic enough to meet any man whose character deserves it at any function. I have myself dined with Booker Washington, and would consider it a privilege again to do so.

"Does not this dilemma face Mr. Parker? If elected president, and if there were in Washington a gathering of the most eminent educators in this country, among whom Booker Washington would be inevitably classed, and the president wished naturally enough to show due recognition and honor to this gathering and invited them to the White House, would he bar out Booker Washington?

"On the other hand, if Parker, as president, should ask Booker Washington to the White House would not the whole south again raise the cry that they had been buncoed in their candidate?

"This is only one of my reasons for desiring to vote for President Roosevelt."

NOT A DOLLAR UNLESS PEABODY IS RE-ELECTED

So Declares F. T. F. Lovejoy Concerning His Prospective Investments in Colorado.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLORADO SPRINGS, COL., Sept. 19.—"I will not invest one dollar in Colorado until I know whether or not Gov. Peabody will be re-elected. I do not wish to speak conclusively, but I now expect, in the event of Gov. Peabody's re-election, to invest in Colorado mining interests. If, by chance, he should not be continued in office, affairs in this state would be in a bad way."

Such is the statement made by F. T. F. Lovejoy, multi-millionaire of Pittsburgh, who, accompanied by his wife, arrived here from Glenwood Springs, last night. Should his physician permit, Mr. Lovejoy will return to Pittsburgh next month, and come back later in the fall, he says.

SCHWAB ATTENDING SALES.

Shipbuilding Company Plants Are Being Disposed of in Maine and California.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Charles M. Schwab and others identified with the United States Shipbuilding Company, left for Bath, Me., yesterday to be present at the sale of one of the subsidiary companies in that city. From there they will go to California to attend the sale of a plant in that state.

Mr. Schwab will leave for Europe after his return from California. He goes to Europe to again consult with interests identified with a new Krupp invention for manufacturing armor plate.

TRAIN IN THE DITCH; TWO PASSENGERS HURT

TOPEKA, KAS., Sept. 19.—Union Pacific passenger train No. 4, eastbound, went into the ditch at Kansas Falls, six miles west of Junction City, today. Eleven of the 70 passengers were injured, two seriously. They are D. M. Dexter and A. Johnson of Providence, R. I.

STRIKEN WITH DEATH AT BIRTHDAY FEAST

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—During a dinner in honor of her 64th birthday at the home of her son, John Zais, Jr., 841 North Orney street, last evening, Mrs. Barbara Zais suddenly fell to the floor unconscious. She had been stricken with heart disease, and she died in her son's arms in a few minutes.

NOT EVEN CIVIL TO PEACE UNION

Distinguished Men Left to Provide Their Own Entertainment at Chicago.

WANT A WORLD CONFERENCE

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Their arrival and presence unmarked by either a reception of welcome by city officials or representative Chicago clubs, 210 members of the interparliamentary union for the promotion of international peace, including leading legislators of the world's nations, were in Chicago today, left to provide their own entertainment. The party started from the Auditorium hotel for a drive at 10 o'clock, and this lasted until 1. From that time until the party left for Detroit this evening, where its members will be received in lavish style, they were allowed to pass their time as best they could.

Congressman Richard Bartholdt, chairman of the committee of congress on the interparliamentary union, was disappointed. "It is a regrettable fact," said Congressman Bartholdt, "that Chicago should have not seen fit to entertain this body. We have had the mayor of Chicago and the board of trade in communication for a month. The foremost legislators of nearly every big nation are represented in this body."

Delegates to the union will deliver to President Roosevelt a resolution passed by the union at its meeting in St. Louis on September 13, asking the chief executive of this country to invite the rulers of all other countries to join in a world conference for the establishment of a universal peace arbitration board to which all disputes between nations will be submitted to avoid future wars.

GOOD MONEY IN SELLING COAL TO RUSSIA

One British Merchant Cleared Up $50,000 on a Ten Thousand Ton Consignment.

[SPECIAL CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

LONDON, Sept. 19.—I have heard, on what I have reason to believe is excellent authority, that foreign agents, acting for Russia, have just purchased at high prices 400,000 tons of coal, to be delivered on board a number of vessels chartered from large German steamship companies. Only a few days ago it was found out that, during last month, 150,000 tons of coal, ostensibly bought for German firms, had been shipped to Vladivostok. A large mine owner from Cardiff, at present in this city, said today:

"The Russian government has never abandoned its determination to keep Vladivostok well supplied with coal and is paying as much as $30 a ton. A merchant friend of mine, whose name I do not feel free to mention, recently succeeded in getting 10,000 tons to Vladivostok at a profit of over $50,000."

PAUL LAMBETH.

CANADIAN RED-COATS LEAVE FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR

DETROIT, Sept. 19.—Gay in their red coats and white helmets the 21st Essex Fusiliers of Canada left this city this afternoon for St. Louis. They will camp on the exposition grounds. The fusiliers were about 500 strong, and were accompanied by their Maxim gun squad with its gun.

SHANGHAI REPORT SAYS GEN. MISTCHENKO IS KILLED

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent telegraphs that there is an unconfirmed rumor there that Gen. Mistchenko, commander of the Russian Eastern Cossack brigade has been killed.

Henry H. Rogers Sick.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Henry H. Rogers, the Standard Oil magnate, is seriously ill at his summer home. His ailment is stomach trouble. Mr. Rogers was to have been present at the dedication of a church which he has built in Fair Haven as a memorial to his mother at a cost of $1,000,000. The ceremony has been postponed.

FIERCE FIGHT IS AT HAND

Japanese Advance Drives Back Long Line of Cossack Cavalry.

PRESSING ON MUKDEN

Front of Mikado's Army Extends in Line Twenty-Seven Miles Long.

RUSSIAN OFFICERS DRAFTED

[ASSOCIATED PRESS CABLE TO THE GAZETTE.]

BERLIN, Sept. 20.—Col. Gaedke, the correspondent of the Tageblatt, telegraphs from Mukden, under date of September 19, as follows: "The Japanese are advancing slowly with a broad front, the left resting on the Liao river, and the right on the mountains, probably the Fushan coal mines, 27 miles eastward. Chinese officials are suspected of secretly aiding the Japanese."

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 20.—(2:15 a. m.)—It is reported a sudden call has been issued to officers of the guard regiments, stationed at St. Petersburg, to report for service at the front. According to report, the order directs eight out of a total of 56 officers of each regiment shall be chosen by lot and drafted to serve with regiments now in the far east.

It is stated that the order has aroused great discontent. Whole regiments are anxious to go to the theater of war, but the officers intensely dislike the prospect of the organizations being split up.

MUKDEN, Sept. 19.—Fighting is anticipated in the neighborhood of Sin-Min-Tin, 35 miles west of Mukden.

SIN-MIN-TIN, Sept. 19.—(Special Cable.)—The preliminary fighting of what is believed will prove even a bloodier and more stubbornly-contested battle than that about Liao-Yang has begun about Mukden. For several days the Russian cavalry under Gen. Rennenkampf on the east and Gen. Samsonoff in the south and west have been trying to develop the Japanese positions and plans, but without success. There has been considerable fighting, but it has been generally between small bodies.

Today, however, the Japanese apparently decided that their plans are sufficiently advanced to warrant meeting the Russian cavalry in force. Along the line from Ying-Fan on the east to Ta-San-Kiasze on the west, the Cossacks have been met with strong forces of infantry and artillery, and have been driven back with loss. The Japanese are advancing in force all along the line, and are concentrating on Mukden. Kuropatkin is awaiting them with a force nearly as great as that which faced Oyama at Liao-Yang.

Both armies will have large reinforcements when next they meet in battle. As fast as new regiments have arrived at Tie pass from Europe they have been hurried to the front, and have relieved commands shattered in the Liao-Yang battles. The latter have been sent back to Tie pass where they can reorganize and rest, meanwhile forming a reserve army to hold the strong position at Tie pass, and to come to the assistance of the main army should it be too hardly pressed.

The same policy has been pursued by Oyama. Fresh regiments have been hurried up from Niuchwang and Kin-Chow to take the places of the Liao-Yang fighters, who form the reserve.

There is doubt as to the position of Kuroki, and the Russians are worried about him. One report has him with 50,000 troops only a few miles east of the railroad and about 20 miles north of Mukden. Rennenkampf has been unable to develop the extreme Russian right, and it is feared that the Japanese general will be able to accomplish at Mukden the coup he almost accomplished at Liao-Yang—cutting the Russian lines in the rear.

Fresh Corps from Japan.

TOKYO, Sept. 19.—Two additional army corps are now awaiting the assembling of transports to carry them to Manchuria. When these troops have departed, it is probable no more men will be sent to the front until next spring. Japan will have sent pretty close to 500,000 men to Manchuria.

Many of the regiments which have suffered most severely at Port Arthur and in the Manchurian campaign, may be brought back to Japan when weather conditions put an end to active campaigning on a great scale. They may be recruited up to full war strength again for active service next spring, as this is regarded as better policy than the formation of new regiments.

The general staff has made preparations for carrying on the war during the winter. Sledges have been devised which, it is believed, will make the transportation of artillery and stores more easy and rapid than in the open season. While it may not be practicable to move an army during the winter, strong columns can and will be sent out to harass the Russians in their work of concentrating another army. In this work men from the northern islands will be largely employed.

Fight at Mukden Unlikely.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 19.—While insisting that Gen. Kuropatkin has sufficient trops at Mukden to contest the Japanese advance, the war office admits that it is not likely that a decisive battle will be fought there. Everything goes to show that the main Russian position is now at Tie pass, flanked by hills running out on the left and by the river on the right.

Official reports to the war office say that the Japanese did not make any further move toward Mukden until September 17, when reconnaissance in force disclosed that they were still massing at Yen-Tai and Bentsiaputze. No Japanese have been discovered east of the latter point. The reconnaissances, Gen. Kuropatkin says, were brilliantly carried out by Gens. Samsonoff's and Rennenkampff's Cassock brigades, with a mixed

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GREETING FROM WESTINGHOUSE

Electrical Engineers Received by the Pittsburgh Manufacturer.

WAS HOST AT DINNER

Scientists from Four Quarters of the Globe Made Patriotic Scene at Electric Works.

FAMOUS MEN SAW THE CITY

George Westinghouse last night welcomed the world's most notable electrical scientists to the hospitality of Pittsburgh. It was one of Mr. Westinghouse's rare speeches, and while brief, carried a message of cordial greeting to every land where men are engaged in the development of electricity. To his modest eulogy of their work there came responses from the chiefs of the electrical engineers of America, Great Britain and Italy, who paid the highest tributes to Mr. Westinghouse and his lieutenants in Pittsburgh.

These expressions of mutual good fellowship were made around sumptuous banquet tables spread in the immense shops of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company at East Pittsburgh, where the delegates to the international electrical congress at St. Louis were entertained. Four hundred guests sat before the board, including the 156 members of the delegations of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers, the Institution of Electrical Engineers of Great Britain and the Associazione Elettrotecnica Italiana. The gathering was important because it represented a reunion of the foremost electrical scientists in the largest electrical workshop in the world. It was the closing feature of a day of busy sightseeing through the industrial establishments of Pittsburgh.

Greetings from Westinghouse.

"To you, gentlemen, I owe the most cordial greeting," said Mr. Westinghouse. "It is rare that I have the honor to meet such a distinguished body of scientific men, and here in Pittsburgh we consider it an especial honor to have you here. You have said many kind things of us. You have left your desks and your laboratories to journey far—some of you far across the sea—to bring us your advice and your encouragement. Your presence here signifies the mighty strides which the noble profession of electrical mechanics is making in every land and in every clime. To those beginning this profession, your coming will have untold effects and doubtless will be an inspiration which in coming generations will yield a harvest of brilliant results."

Responses were made by R. Kaye Gray, president of the Institute of Engineers of Great Britain; Prof. Moise Ascoli, president of the Italian engineers, and Bion J. Arnold of Chicago, president of the American Institute of Engineers. All paid a high tribute to the American electrical engineer and to Mr. Westinghouse for his hospitality. Mr. Arnold said:

"We see tonight the triumphs of the science which Benjamin Franklin introduced to the world. When we look around this magnificent plant we see evidences of another pioneer in electrical research. We remember how he introduced the alternating current and how he fought and bled for it. Tonight we can appreciate in a small measure the triumph he has won. To his lieutenants, too, we owe unstinted praise. We know that Mr. Westinghouse would be the first to give them credit for their work. His encouragement of genius, after all, is his crowning achievement.

Pittsburgh the World's Workshop.

"In Pittsburgh our stay has been altogether too short. This is truly the world's workshop. We have been to the Carnegie mills and those other great industries, and here the sound of the hammers has been stilled long enough to allow us to enjoy a dinner which knits akin the fraternal feeling between the electrical men of the whole world. We leave Pittsburgh with the warmest cordiality toward its champions of industry and goodfellowship."

The 400 guests seated around the tables punctuated these addresses with spontaneous applause. A more dazzling banquet room was never arranged in this city. While the dinner was being served there was no thought of "shop talk." Men were there from Great Britain, France, Germany, Switzerland, Scandinavia, Italy, Spain, South Africa, Japan and from the far-away isles of the South Pacific.

Patriotism figured first above the thought of scientific triumphs, and when Gernet's orchestra struck up a medley of national anthems the true spirit of the great assemblage was characteristically shown. When the "Star-Spangled Banner" floated in heart-swelling tones through the hall the men from other lands were the first to rise in reverence to the majestic measures of the melody. Then the stirring Marseillese, the national hymn of Italy, and of every land represented followed, while the guests responded with prompt and reverential tributes.

Some old folk songs from Ireland, Scotland and Germany stirred the diners to merriment. "Yankee Doodle" was played and the Britons stood up with mock piety, while their Italian and other continental neighbors looked on with sarcastic smiles. "Dixie" started volumes of applause and of all the American airs was the most familiar.

How the Day Was Spent.

The dinner was voted the climax of the trip which the engineers have made through this country. They were awake early at the Hotel Schenley yesterday morning and divided into seven groups for a tour of the city's industrial plants. The program published yesterday morning was followed out, the visitors inspecting the establishments of the Westinghouse Machine Company, the Nernst Lamp Company, the R. D. Nuttall Company and the Carnegie mills at Homestead and Bessemer. All gathered at the

Westinghouse plant in East Pittsburgh at 4 o'clock in the afternoon and waited for the banquet. The ladies in the party were driven in carriages through the parks and boulevards, and after luncheon at the hotel, embarked in a special trolley car and went direct to East Pittsburgh. They were quite as enthusiastic in their praise of Pittsburgh as were the men. At 9:30 o'clock last night the party embarked in a special train at East Pittsburgh and went to Washington. They will spend a day there and then go to Philadelphia and New York, where they will disband. A few will remain in this country for an extended tour, but the majority will return to Europe at once.

The decorations in the hall where the informal dinner was served was a unique feature of the arrangements. In the center were three round tables seating 30 guests, the middle space being filled with pyramids of palms. Around these, in the form of a double figure "8" were tables seating 300 guests. Palms, roses, carnations and gladiolas were bunched profusely at every alternate plate and under the pale brilliant rays of 25 vapor lamps the scene looked like midday in a mammoth conservatory.

About 250 representative scientific men of Pittsburgh were there to greet the strangers. Among these who had friends among the foreign contingent and who renewed old acquaintances were Judge Joseph Buffington, Col. Samuel H. Church, Dr. W. J. Holland and Dr. John A. Brashear. The complete roster of the party follows:

The List of Guests.

R. Kaye Gray, R. E. Crompton, Prof. John Perry, Miss A. M. Perry, Miss A. Stower, Dr. R. T. Glazebrook, F. E. Gripper, Robert Hammond, Miss Hammond, H. E. Harrison, W. Duddell, A. F. T. Atchison, George Balfour, R. S. Ball, W. A. Barnes, D. Bates, Mrs. Bates, Conrad G. Blair, John T. Connolly, Mrs. Connolly, Prof. J. D. Cormack, Mrs. Cormack, J. R. Dick, James Edgar, R. S. Erskine, Mrs. Erskine, T. Feilden, J. A. Foster, W. Geipel, E. C. Handcock, C. C. Hawkins, M. Hayashi, Thomas Kesketh, Mrs. Kesketh, F. Hope-Jones, M. Jenniston, Prof. W. N. Kernott, F. C. Kidman, E. H. Liebert, G. C. Lloyd, F. M. Long, B. Longbottom, R. S. McLeod, J. L. Marr, W. B. Marr, J. Marshall, R. B. Matthews, F. O. Mills, Dr. D. K. Morris, J. Y. Morris, L. G. E. Morse, F. H. Nalder, R. B. Perring, W. G. T. Pope, Mrs. Pope, A. P. Pyne, G. H. C. Risch, E. Kilburn Scott, W. H. Scott, B. S. Sheargown, W. Summerscales, C. D. Taite, M. J. E. Tilney, R. Tree, A. C. F. Webb, H. G. Whiting, G. Wilkinson, Capt. R. Willis, Mrs. Willis, E. B. Woolan, C. Wm. Sutton, Prof. Moise Ascoli, president; Mme. Ascoli; Prof. Luigi Lombardi, vice president; Camillo Albino Curti, Prof. Ferdinando Lori, Amatore Maffezzini, Edoardo Ambrosaino, Giovannit Baresi, Carlo Barzano, C. Vincenzo Brazzola, Alfonzo Carelli, F. Carini, Nicostrato Castellini, Filippi Cavalieri, Filippo Danioni, Dr. William Dunn, Edoardo Egger, Prof. Gino Fano, Luigi Gallmberti, Dr. Ettore Gamba, Gian Teodoro Giorgetti, Francesco Giudice, Emanuele Jona, Arnaldo Odazio, Augusto Pancaldi, Antonio Presanti, Alberto Plechl, Alberto Pirelli, Luigi Pizzi, Eugenio Prandoni, S. Magrini, B. Riete, Luigi Robbo, Alberto Rubini, A. Silva, G. C. Stucky, G. Snoech, Uldenigo Sarre, Giuseppe Stramezzo, Soragni, Ing. Gianfranco Tosi, Achille Venzaghi.

FAIRBANKS WILL TOUR FAR WESTERN STATES

Candidate Will Have a Special Train and Be Accompanied by Senator Dolliver.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—The itinerary for Charles W. Fairbanks' campaign tour of the Pacific coast has been completed, except for the last day or two. It covers 18 or 19 days and will take him to the state of Washington, over the Northern Pacific route, and bring him back to Chicago over the Union Pacific and connecting lines.

He will be accompanied by Senator Dolliver of Iowa and other speakers will join the party from time to time. They will occupy a special train. The party will leave Chicago next Friday.

GENERAL HASTINGS DEAD.

He Belonged to Same Regimest as Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley.

PETERSHAM, MASS., Sept. 19.—Gen. Russell Hastings, aged 69, of Bermuda, died here yesterday of heart disease.

Gen. Hastings was living in Ohio when the civil war broke out and went out with the Twenty-third Ohio, in which were Rutherford B. Hayes and William McKinley.

Gen. Hastings became adjutant-general on the staff of Gen. Rutherford B. Hayes and later was made colonel and brigadier-general by brevet. He was a great friend of President McKinley.

LENA'S CREW MUST NOT STRAY FROM 'FRISCO

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Unless an agreement is made between Russia and Japan at some later date, the officers and crew of the Lena will remain paroled prisoners of war in San Francisco until the end of hostilities. The officers and crew are given the freedom of the city, but they are forbidden to go beyond its limits.

King Peter Being Snubbed.

BELGRADE, Sept. 19.—There is no great enthusiasm over the approaching coronation of King Peter, Wednesday. Germany, Austria, Italy and Roumania have sent congratulations. The other powers will be represented in a merely formal manner. Great Britain, Holland and some other nations are taking practically no part, owing to the murder of King Alexander and Queen Draga.

Dies Before Receiving Fortune.

BALLSTON, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Jessie Davis, a resident of Galway, this county, who recently inherited a fortune of $1,000,000 from the estate of her brother, Samuel Davis of San Francisco, died today aged 86 years. Miss Davis had never received the legacy on account of proceedings declaring her mentally incompetent.

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TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Lew Dockstader's Minstrels, 8:15 p. m.

GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 15 acts headed by Jessie Millward and George Evans, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

AVENUE—Harry Davis' stock company in "Are You a Mason?" 2 and 8 p. m.

EMPIRE—"The Polley Players," presenting "The Bogus Prince," 8:15 p. m.

BIJOU—"A Prisoner of War," 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—"Buster Brown," 2:15 and 8:15 p. m.

HARRY WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—"The High Rollers," 2 and 8 p. m.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA EXPOSITION—Concerts by Victor Herbert's orchestra, 2, 4, 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

MEETS AGAIN AT BIGELOW'S CALL

Common Councilmen Adopt a Motion at the Expense of Public Works Director.

TWICE PREVENTS SESSION

"I move that we adjourn to meet at the call of the director of the department of public works," was the motion made and adopted by nine Republican members of common council last night when it was discovered that a quorum of the branch had been prevented by order of Director Bigelow for the second time within a week. There was only one Citizens councilman present last night, Joseph Walls, who was there on scout duty.

The motion was made by J. A. Perley of the Fourteenth ward. Walls cast a negative vote. Perley's motion was seconded by William Brand. Clerk H. B. Davis, who was presiding in the absence of President Ward, said he could not entertain such a motion as the director of public works had no authority to call a meeting of councils. Brand remarked: "You are only the clerk and not the judge."

This remark was made in good nature and Davis bowed gracefully. He put the motion, declared it carried and noted it on the minutes. The members present were Brand, Martin, Barr, Gibbon, Kohne, Perley, Johns, Lewis, McKnight and Walls.

Orders were issued yesterday by Director Bigelow that there should be no meeting of common council, although a meeting had been called. These orders were distributed by the director's chief clerk and by his bureau lieutenants. Every Citizens member was notified, including President Ward, who was in the city but who found an excuse to remain away from the meeting. Plenty of Citizens members were found yesterday who declared they would have attended if Director Bigelow had not given instructions to make themselves scarce.

The same thing happened a week ago at a regular meeting. Members of common council of both parties were much mystified last night as to why Bigelow was so anxious to prevent a meeting. "There is nothing of much importance in common council just now," said Brand, "and I believe the director is hatching some scheme and that he does not want a meeting of councils until he is ready to spring it."

"I don't know when there will be a meeting of councils," said Bigelow yesterday, and he smiled. "Councils were very busy in the summer and they should have a vacation. I will go away to stay another week, and then I will return for good. I have had a fine time in the mountains and I feel greatly benefited. I have gained 13 pounds."

Bigelow was told of Mayor Hays' declaration that he was tired of his job. He was asked if he thought the mayor would resign, and he replied with the well-known quotation referring to officeholders:

"Few die and none resign."

FIERCE FIGHT IS AT HAND

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detachment of infantry and artillery under Rennenkampff's personal command.

They captured a village north of Bentsiaputze, which was used as a pivot. The Russians drew off later, losing a few men killed or wounded, after securing valuable information regarding the Japanese strength and position. A couple of days earlier Gen. Mischenko's detachment of Cossacks reconnoitered toward Yen-Tai at the cost of a few score wounded.

Gen. Kuropatkin says he reviewed yesterady the Thirty-seventh division, commanded by Gen. Chekmareff, which had then just arrived at Mukden. It belongs to the First European corps, of which the Twenty-second division, Gen. Afansevitch commanding, reached Liao-Yang in time to take part in the battle there. The appearance of the newly-arrived European troops at Mukden, instead of being evidence of the complete Russian concentration there, as many persons hastily assumed, is more likely due to the decision of Gen. Kuropatkin to get these fresh and untested troops in contact with the Japanese, and give the soldiers who suffered the brunt of the fighting at Liao-Yang an opportunity to recuperate.

Kuropatkin has ordered the issue of heavy winter clothing in the middle of October. The Russian troops have already exchanged their summer khaki for their ordinary cloth uniforms.

Fighting in North Korea.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A dispatch from Harbin today says the Japanese are displaying considerable activity in North Korea. A skirmish is reported between Japanese troops and a regiment of Cossacks at Fukchang, about 27 miles northeast of Hanhuang.

ELECTION WILL DECIDE THE PROTECTIVE SYSTEM

Fairbanks Tells Immense Delaware Audience That Judgment Must Be Pronounced.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WILMINGTON, DEL., Sept. 19.—Senator Fairbanks, vice presidential candidate, addressed two massmeetings in this state today, the first at Dover this afternoon, and the other in this city tonight. The senator's speech at Dover was a short one. He reviewed national issues and paid a compliment to the Republicanism of Delaware.

Senator Fairbanks and his party arrived in this city this evening. The opera house was crowded when the senator was introduced. He said that Delaware must pronounce her judgment upon the protective tariff system. If she wishes it overthrown she must give her support to the Democratic cause. The triumph of Democracy is a blow at the system of protection.

The Republican party, he said, has been consistent in its support of a sound monetary system. The maintenance of a high grade of government credit is important to our national development. The preservation of a sound currency is absolutely essential to the fullest measure of our commercial development. The Republican party established the gold standard because it was vitally necessary to our largest industrial development.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, September 19.

New York—Minnetonka, London.

Liverpool—Bavarian, Montreal and Quebec.

Gibraltar—Hohenzollern, New York via St. Michaels for Naples and Genoa (and proceeded.)

London—Minneapolis, New York.

Bremen—Bremen, New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Cherbourg—Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, New York via Plymouth for Bremen (and proceeded.)

Glasgow—Sicilian, Montreal via Liverpool.

Moville—Furnessia, New York for Glasgow (and proceeded).

Dover—Zeeland, New York for Antwerp (and proceeded).

Sailed, September 19.

Glasgow—Sardinian, Montreal.

Passed, September 19.

Lizard—Zeeland, New York for Dover and Antwerp.

Gibraltar—Nord America, Genoa and Naples for New York.

COPPERHEAD SNAKE EGGS FOUND IN ROTTEN STUMP

Sample Will Be Loaned to the Carnegie Museum in This City—Farmer Shoots Reptiles After Brisk Shower.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

ELIZABETH, PA., Sept. 19.—Eli Kerr, who lives on the farm of William Mayhugh, in Forward township, near Elizabeth, while clearing a strip of woodland infested with copperhead snakes, has succeeded in finding the den where the reptiles breed and has in the last few weeks killed many of the snakes. He has destroyed over 100 eggs.

One sunny afternoon after a brisk shower, Mr. Kerr thought it a good time for the snakes to show themselves and he took his dog and gun and went to the woods. He told his wife he would return in a short time with a snake, as she had never seen one.

He had gone but a short distance when he beheld a large snake on a log, and firing, killed it, and looking at the other end of the log, saw its mate, and killed it also.

Thinking he had found a den, he continued the search and at the middle of the log saw two others of the same variety and soon despatched them without difficulty. A few weeks afterward Mr. Kerr went back to the spot, and making a thorough search in the stump, he took from the decayed part over 15 shells, all of which were empty, which showed the young reptiles had escaped. He also found two hollow roots where the young and the older ones made their entrance into the stump. From one of these roots he drew forth 48 copperhead eggs, all of which were half as long as the index finger of a man. He broke each egg and every one contained a live copperhead about six inches in length.

About a week ago Edward Mayhugh procured a long stick with a hook and, making a thorough search, drew from a root 40 more eggs, all of which he placed out in the sun. One of the reptiles hatched and was killed. Mr. Mayhugh then procured a specimen bottle and placing the eggs in it poured a pint of alcohol on the eggs and coiled the young snake on top of the eggs at the neck of the bottle.

As a general rule, copperheads are quite scarce in this section of country. This strip of woods being one of a few where they are found. Mr. Mayhugh has labeled the bottle and will offer to loan it to the Carnegie museum in Pittsburgh, where he has curiosities on exhibit.

COUNCILMAN CAUSES POLICEMAN'S ARREST

Charged With Impersonating an Officer. Result of Fight in Turtle Creek Council.

Albert Skinner, a policeman of Turtle Creek, was arrested yesterday by Constable W. J. Bennett on the charge of impersonating an officer. The information was made before Justice of the Peace L. F. Holtzman by Councilman W. C. Hill, and is the result of a political squabble that has kept the borough stirred up for several months.

Skinner was appointed policeman of the borough by a minority faction of the council and the majority faction appointed another officer.

The burgess sides with the minority and refuses to issue a warrant to pay the policeman appointed by the majority. The majority has retaliated by refusing to approve Skinner's payroll. Neither officer has received a cent of salary since his appointment. To settle the matter the suit against Skinner was brought yesterday and will doubtless find its way into the county courts. Hill, the plaintiff, is a member of the majority faction. Skinner gets a hearing tonight.

MADE THE LAME WALK.

Detective Elmore Cured Alleged Cripples in a Twinkling and Then Locked Them Up.

Detective William Elmore made the lame walk yesterday. William Brady, aged 22, of Buffalo, and James Lacey, aged 24, of Youngstown, were walking with canes at Ninth and Liberty street, impersonating crippled men and begging. The detective crossed the street so they would appeal to him. The men asked him for money with which to get something to eat.

"No money to eat, but I will buy you both a drink," answered the officer. The men accepted the invitation and accompanied the detective to a saloon in Smithfield street, near Central station. When the men had their drink the detective turned on them and with his fist drawn back said: "Now straighten up." Instantly both men stood erect. Their lameness vanished. They were led to the station house and locked up as suspicious persons.

RIOTS MARK ITALIAN STRIKE.

Sympathizers Tear Down Coat of Arms from a Consulate in Switzerland.

ROME, Sept. 19.—A meeting of workingmen was held tonight to protest against the intervention of troops in the strike. Fully 10,000 persons participated, among them well-known anarchists. Demonstrators were dispersed by cavalry charges, in which about 20 civilians were wounded. Conflicts in which a number of officers received injuries at the hands of the mobs occurred in Turin, Genoa and Bologna. The strike has extended to Palermo and Leghorn. The strike will continue until Wednesday.

LUGANO, SWITZERLAND, Sept. 19.—Rioters in sympathy with the Italian strikers proceeded to the Italian consulate, from which they tore the Italian coat of arms and threw it into the lake.

ENGLAND'S LORD PRIMATE ATTENDS A RECEPTION

BAR HARBOR, ME., Sept. 19.—The archbishop of Canterbury attended a reception this afternoon at the parish grounds of St. Saviour's church, the first public reception in which he has participated since his arrival in America. The canopy, under which the archbishop and Bishop Codman of Maine stood, was decorated with the American and British flags. Several hundred people were presented to the primate.

Boy Narrowly Escaped Death.

Andrew Gessler, aged 13, of 122 Bell avenue, McKees Rocks, was run over by a freight train yesterday in the Panhandle yards at McKees Rocks and sustained only a broken ankle. He was knocked between the tracks and 12 cars passed over him as he lay face downward on the ties. A switchman saw him fall and ordered him to lay quiet. He was taken home.

Carried Over an Embankment.

John Hartman, aged 40, a grocer of Turtle Creek, was probably fatally injured last night at Trevaskis Terrace, Turtle Creek, by going over an embankment about 60 feet deep with his horse and wagon. The road is narrow and the horse slipped.

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PITTSBURGHER, HEIR TO FORTUNE, DIES IN POVERTY

Was Discovered and Told of His Wealth a Few Hours Before His Death.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, CAL., Sept. 19.—After gradually dying in poverty for months J. P. Cubby of Pittsburgh lived just long enough to know he was heir to a $200,000 estate at Lamorville, Ill. For two weeks attorneys from Illinois have searched for him and by accident found him yesterday in a lonely canon among San Bernadino mountains, where he had struggled to stay consumption. He died this morning.

Last night he stated he had an only sister at Pittsburgh, giving her address, a telegram being wired there soon after his death. To her falls the large fortune.

WEDDED MISS O'KICKI.

Frank Riceley Takes Her as His Bride and Squared a Breach of Promise Suit.

It took three days for Frank Riceley to recall his promise to wed Zeffa O'Kicki of Wylie avenue at the Allegheny county jail yesterday. Riceley was arrested Saturday on a charge of a breach of promise, made before Alderman John Groetzinger. He preferred the cell to the altar and was taken to jail.

Yesterday he told Deputy Warden Charles M. Taylor that he did not like the confinement and asked that the alderman and his promised bride be sent for. Later the alderman and 35 men and women friends of the couple called at the jail and the wedding took place.

STRIKERS ARE ENJOINED.

Girard Men Ordered to Not Interfere With Employes of the Carnegie Company.

WARREN, O., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Judge Roberts this morning granted a temporary injunction against the strikers of the Girard hoop mill of the Carnegie Steel Company.

The injunction prevents the strikers from gathering or congregating around the company's mill, or the railroad station, or from molesting persons in the employ of the company, or those who come there for the purpose of entering its employ.

OLD HOTEL HAS GONE NEW SPRINGS INTO LIFE

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—To the strains of "Auld Lang Syne," sung by more than 500 diners, the famous Bellevue hotel, for a quarter of a century the rendezvous of society and personages, passed out of existence as a hostelry at midnight. At the same moment George C. Boldt's $8,000,000 Bellevue-Stratford, the most complete and, next to the Waldorf-Astoria, the largest hotel in the world, sprang into active life.

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35c three-ring oak and mahogany Towel Racks, 20c.

6-inch Cherry and Oak Towel Rings, 5c—worth 10c.

15c six-inch White Enamel Towel Rings, 5c.

35c Three-arm Oak and Cherry Coat and Hat Racks, 20c.

Lot Oak Coat and Hat Racks with 3 hooks, 15c—were sold for 35c.

Special interest to women—Combination Dipper, fruit jar and bottle filler and perforated and brass strainer, 10c.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

This housefurnishings department is a striking example of the "large assortments of choice goods on a small profit basis" way of doing business. Everything there.

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BIG RUGS

We give sizes of the new Body Brussels and Wiltons just received.

12 feet 9 inches by 15 feet—11.3 by 15 feet—10½ by 14—10½ by 13½—10½ by 12—8.3 by 14.3—9 by 13½—9 by 12—6.9 by 10.6—9 by 9—6 by 9—6 and, of course lots of smaller sizes.

Wilton Rugs, 9 by 12 feet, $28.50—$32.50—$35.00—$45.00.

Brussels Rugs, 9 by 12 feet, $14.50, $18.00, $24.50.

New line small Axminster Rugs and Runners—superior styles and colorings.

Steppers, $1.00 each—Hearth size, 27 by 63 inches, $2.25—larger, 36 by 72 inches, $3.75.

Runners, 27 inches wide, 3 yards—9 feet long, $4.50—10½ feet long, $5.00—12 feet long, $5.50.

3 feet wide, 9 feet long, $6.50—10½ feet long, $7.50—12 feet long, $8.50.

Lots of Oriental Rugs—great variety—all sizes, smallest to largest, including many of unusual proportions.

All Oriental Rugs priced in plain figures on a merchandise basis.

The new Carpets are ready for selection.

Roxbury Brussels Carpets made, laid and lined with padded lining; $1.00 a yard.

B. & B.
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Is a leading characteristic of the Rust Proof Corset.

With the utmost care has the designer studied the newest styles in gowns, and the result is a corset whose lines conform perfectly to those of the cosume a la mode.

For the up-to-date women who wear the up-to-date costume, the only Corset is the up-to-date Rust Proof.

The finest quality webbing and "Security" rubber button tips are used in the supporters which equip the newest expression of Corset Style—Warner's Rust Proof Hose Supporter Models range from 75c to $5.00.

We carry fifteen styles of this particular make and consider them among the best Corsets manufactured.

No. 252 is one of the Rust Proof smart models for the average full figure.

It controls the hips and slopes and shapes the form to a stunning contour.

The Hose Supporters, attached to the front and sides of the Corset, assist in drawing it down over the figure, and perform a service that the separate supporters do not.

It is made of White Coutille of fine French grade, 18 to 30 inches, $2.00 per pair.

BOGGS & BUHL, Allegheny.

Beautiful Women

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DISEASES OF THE EYES.
GLASSES WHEN REQUIRED.

EFUSE TO GRANT MORE TRANSFERS

Concessions to East End Are Denied by Official of Pittsburgh Railways Company.

TEACHERS' CAUSE ESPOUSED

Somewhat of a sensation was produced at the meeting of the East End Board of Trade last night, when a committee appointed to confer with the Pittsburgh Railways Company reported that the officials of the company had refused to grant transfers over certain East End lines, as requested by the committee, but had also said that the present transfer system is to be made less extensive.

Higher salaries for teachers in the public schools furnished another interesting theme for discussion. The East End Board of Trade has been booming in membership and the meeting last night, the first since the summer intermission, was largely attended.

James Wallace, a member of the transportation committee, reported that all efforts to improve the transfer system on the trolley lines in the East End had failed, and that the street railway officials had refused all concessions which had been asked by the committee. He said President J. D. Callery, after intimating to the committee that relief would be granted, had suddenly and recently decided that the plan would be injurious to the interests of the company, and instead of further concessions that the present system would be restricted.

Mr. Wallace said that at first Mr. Callery referred them to a vice president and had requested a plan from the committee. This plan he pronounced reasonable and later referred the committee to General Superintendent John Murphy, and then finally Mr. Callery had announced the company's decision.

The cause of the teachers was espoused by Attorney Homer L. Castle and Dr. T. D. Davis. Mr. Castle claimed that the teachers were so poorly paid that the positions had come to be only a convenient employment for young women until they could get married. He said the proposed increase in salaries would not increase the tax levy one mill. Dr. Davis said that in the past 35 years the pay of the teachers had been increased only 25 cents a day. A committee was instructed to prepare statistics of the salaries and conditions in the school system for the purpose of pleading the cause of the teachers.

The special committee on the automobile question reported that it had called upon Director Moore and he had expressed himself in favor of suppressing the high speed of the machines in East End streets. He asked that the board act as a committee of the whole with his department in spotting numbers on machines, and help catch the violaters.

The committee on streets reported that an ordinance, requiring wires in Frankstown avenue to be placed underground, would be introduced in councils.

A committee of five will be appointed to secure a better schedule on the Center and Negley avenue car line.

THOMPSON AND CORBETT WERE AGAIN CHOSEN

Got Unanimous Vote for Colonelcy and Lieutenant Colonelcy—New Majors Were Selected.

Col. William E. Thompson was unanimously re-elected colonel of the Fourteenth infantry last night. The election was held in the headquarters of the regiment, Old City hall, Market street, and was conducted by Col. Frank I. Rutledge, assisted by Lieut. J. J. Wilson, Lieut. W. McC. Reynolds and Capt. W. F. Reifsnyder. When the orders for the election were read only one line officer of the regiment was absent. A motion was made to wait for the absentee, but this was voted down and the election proceeded with the officers present.

Col. Thompson's name was placed in nomination by Capt. William H. McKee of Company F. There were no other candidates and Thompson received the unanimous vote of the line officers present.

Following the election of Col. Thompson, Lieut.-Col. J. Harry Corbett was unanimously re-elected to his old position, receiving the vote of all the line officers, the vote for him being cast by Capt. W. H. McKee.

Capt. Franklin Blackstone of Company B and Capt. W. S. McKee were then nominated for senior major. Capt. Blackstone was elected by a vote of 13 to 11.

Col. Rutledge next asked for nominations for a junior major. There were three candidates, Maj. Harry D. Fowler, Maj. R. M. Ewing and Capt. W. W. H. McKee. The vote was: McKee, 16; Fowler, 5, and Ewing, 2. After the election of the candidates they were sworn into the service of the state by Col. Rutledge.

HELPED A POOR UNFORTUNATE

Downtown Women Made Up Purse for One Who Lost Her All.

Mary Stonic, who attempted to drown herself in the Monongahela river Sunday, was again before Magistrate Stewart yesterday, and was discharged. The woman first attempted to end her life because $75 was stolen from her. She was arrested and held as a demented woman, but physicians examined her and determined she was sane, and she was discharged. Sunday she attempted her life again.

The story of her troubles was read by a number of women in the downtown districts and they collected $55 for her, which was given to Magistrate Stewart to present to the woman. As soon as the woman was handed the money her mind became clear. She kissed the magistrate's hand and left the court room in a happy frame of mind.

Policeman Schmidt Suspended.

Policeman Ferdinand H. Schmidt, who was ordered to pay a fine of $50 and costs for running a gambling house, was suspended from duty yesterday by Director Moore and ordered to appear before the police trial board tomorrow. Schmidt was formerly inspector of police in No. 3 district, but was reduced to the ranks for conduct unbecoming an officer. Sunday morning he was arrested at 313 Ella street, where he is said to have been conducting a gambling house.

Republicans Open Headquarters.

The Republican party of Allegheny opened headquarters in East Diamond street last night, and from now until after the councilmanic election next spring the house will remain open. The building has been thoroughly renovated and refurnished. An informal house-warming will be held Saturday night. A meeting of the city committee will likely be called for some time next week and plans for the campaign will be started.

Clever Girl Sent to Morganza.

Lillian Frye, the young woman arrested last week in a downtown department store for stealing a lot of dress goods, was sent to Morganza yesterday by Magistrate Stewart. She was one of the cleverest of her class the police have had to deal with in a long time, for she succeeded in dressing herself in stolen finery while in the store.

Hungry Charles Sent Up for 60 Days.

Charles Johnson, the hungry negro from Meadow Creek, W. Va., who took $16 from his uncle and spent it for something to eat, admitted his appetite and the theft before Magistrate Stewart yesterday, and was sent to the workhouse for 60 days.

Formal Opening Wednesday.

You are most cordially invited to attend formal opening of new downtown Walk-Over Shoe Store, which occurs Wednesday of this week, and which will ring to your attention the finest stock f men's and women's shoes it has ever een the pleasure of any Pittsburgh tore to show. Lazarus Bros. & Co., 227 ifth avenue.

12. St. Louis. P. & L. E. R. R.

Pennsy Blocks Lake Erie's Plan To Enter National Tube Works

Steel Span Nearly Completed at McKeesport Which Must Now Be Taken Down Because the P. R. R. Is Suspicious of Its Purpose.

The Pennsylvania and Lake Erie railroads and the National Tube Company are at logger heads over a 100-foot steel span which had just about been completed to take the place of a section of wooden trestlework on the Pennsylvania right of way into McKeesport. It is said that the result is that the steel work will have to be taken down and carried away after $10,000 has been spent by the Lake Erie and the Tube company.

It was explained to the Pennsylvania, when permission was granted to replace the wooden trestle with steel, that the object was to make room for the expansion of the Tube company's works. Just as the span was completed and was about to be swung into place, the Pennsylvania was tipped off that it was the purpose of the Tube company to give the Lake Erie a right of way on the ground beneath into the heart of the tube works. The Pennsy's permission was immediately revoked and now attempts are being made to settle the matter.

BUSINESS MEN TO TAKE LID OFF

Organization of Prominent Alleghenians Will Make Rigid Investigation of Graft Charges.

COMMITTEE SEES STEWART

There is to be an investigation into the charges of "graft" made against certain Allegheny officials, and the public is to witness a searching inquiry to be made by Attorney Harry L. Goehring and possibly Attorneys John Marron and John C. Haymaker. This trio has been engaged, or will be within a few days, by an organization of 25 Allegheny business men, who have pledged themselves to see the investigation to a finish.

At a meeting held in the residence of a prominent citizen of Allegheny Saturday, an organization was decided upon. There were 10 at the meeting and 15 more are to be taken in. A check for $500 was written by a steel manufacturer, who attended the conference, and is now in the hands of the man who was chosen treasurer. Every one of the 25 in the party will contribute to push the investigation, and it is the expressed determination of those interested to punish all who are found guilty of misdemeanor.

Attorney Goehring has been spoken to and has expressed his willingness to assist in prosecuting the case. It is understood that Haymaker and Marron have only been informed casually, but have agreed to take a hand if their services are asked.

District Attorney Robert E. Stewart was seen yesterday by a committee of two, appointed to confer with him as representatives of the business men who have determined to see that the investigation is not allowed to die, as other threatened investigations have in Allegheny. Mr. Stewart assured the two that if an investigation was to be made by reputable citizens of Allegheny, he would turn over the evidence in his possession, including the list of witnesses whose testimony would be necessary. He promised to lend aid in every possible way to make the investigation a success.

A request for secrecy concerning the names of those who attended the conference was made, because publicity is not wanted until the names of the entire 25 men have been secured to the pledge to go through with the investigation. Calls will be made today on a number of Allegheny business men whose aid is wanted.

PORCH RUGS ARE STOLEN.

McKeesport Sneak Thieves Have Taken a Fancy to Brussels and Turkish Mats.

Porch rug robbers have been gathering a harvest in McKeesport. J. J. Ferrigan, a merchant in Fifth avenue, reported yesterday that two fine Brussels rugs and three others had been stolen during the night. At the home of W. G. Gleason, at Eighth and Market streets, the robbers got an expensive Turkish rug and a porch chair. Charles Boax of Shaw avenue also lost a rug. Special officers have been put to work.

Robbers attempted to break into the residence of Jeremiah A. Beatty, 1918 Huey street, early yesterday morning. Mr. Beatty heard the thieves and frightened them away.

Uncle Sam's Soldiers in a Fight.

A riot call was sent to the Forty-third street police station about 9 o'clock last night because of a fight between a number of Uncle Sam's soldiers of the Ninth infantry, stationed at the Butler street arsenal. It was pay day at the arsenal, nd about 20 soldiers got into a dispute among themselves and some civilians. The policemen dispersed the crowd, but no arrests were made, as the soldiers had disappeared.

See no Good in Crusade.

The African Methodist Ministerial association yesterday decided that, inasmuch as the Sabbath Observance association had gone on without soliciting the aid of the colored ministers, it would be best to allow it to continue. The association declared itself as believing that the movement was in the hands of people who seemed to be "hunting cheap notoriety."

Slav Hurt Because of His Watch.

Michael Matthuzecs, aged 36, after boarding a United Traction Company car near Thirteenth street, Braddock, last evening, discovered that his watch was missing and jumped from the car backwards. His foot caught in the running board and he was dragged and received a torn scalp and internal injuries.

M. & M. MEMBERS WILL TOUR OHIO

Second Outbound Trade Extension Excursion Is Set for Next Month.

WILL TRAVEL 1,000 MILES

Another "outbound trade extension excursion" is to be made by the Merchants and Manufacturers' association. It will consist of a 1,000-mile trip through Ohio and will require six days for completion. The date will probably be October 17-22, inclusive.

This excursion, like the one which initiated the series last July, when Pittsburgh business men visited West Virginia, will be equipped with all that goes to make the trip a success. Committees were appointed at a meeting yesterday to carry forward the plans and detailed information will be given out in a few days.

The excursion will be more extensive than the first one. On that trip 29 cities and towns were visited. Many more than that number will be seen this time, and the plans provide for longer stop-offs at each place. The members of the trade excursion committee which is working up the plans are H. W. Neely, chairman; Charles M. Gerwig, W. E. Gill, A. M. Jenkinson, Frank C Waddell, George W. Stewart, John L. Dixon, Otto F. Felix, L. Kolb, Charles H. Ogden, Robert M. Repp, E. D. Haworth, George W. Young, W. C. Baldwin and A. S. McSwigan.

Tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock the Merchants and Manufacturers' association will introduce the "seeing Greater Pittsburgh" tourist cars. The tour chosen is the one known as "No. 4," which embraces the Monongahela valley, showing the great industries. The special car or cars will leave Penn avenue and Sixth street, carrying members of the association. On Thursday the association will introduce the two Allegheny tours.

The trade excursion committee of the association has just completed its full records of the inbound excursion for which tickets were sold from August 20 to 24. The reports show that about 350 merchants were brought to the city, representing 110 cities and towns of Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia. The effort is considered highly successful and more inbound excursions will be given.

VICTOR HERBERT WAS GIVEN A WARM GREETING

Pittsburgh's Former Orchestra Leader Scored a Triumph on Opening Night at Exposition.

A large and appreciative audience greeted Victor Herbert's New York Orchestra last evening at the Pittsburgh exposition. Great interest and enthusiasm was maintained during both concerts, repeated encores being liberally responded to. Variations on an old German folksong and grand American fantasie were exceptionally well received. At the conclusion of the first concert, during the playing of the national anthem, the orchestra and audience stood.

Taken as a whole, the night was in the nature of a reception to Mr. Herbert, and he was most liberal in his responses to the audience's demands.

This afternoon's program promises to be popular, as it is interspersed with Mr. Herbert's own compositions. It is as follows:

2 P. M.

March, "The President"	Herbert
Overture, "Raymond"	Thomas
(a) Melody in F	Rubinstein
(b) Chinese Love Song	Kelley
Waltz, "Stories from the Vienna Woods"	Strauss
Grand Fantasie, from "Madame Angot"	Lecocq

4 P. M.

March, "The Belle of Pittsburgh	Herbert
Overture, "William Tell"	Rossini
(a) Italian } from Suite "The Nations" (b) Spanish }	Moszkowski
Al Fresco (new)	Roland
Selection from the comic opera, "The Fortune Teller"	Herbert

Must Remove Swinging Signs.

Director Moore of the department of public safety has directed Ordinance Officer Livingstone to make informations against merchants who have swinging signs in front of their establishments. Livingstone takes the position that theaters, newspaper offices and railroads are public places and that signs on such places are in a measure necessary to the public and he will not consider those establishments as having violated the ordinance.

Success is always imitated. Protect yourself by calling for the full name

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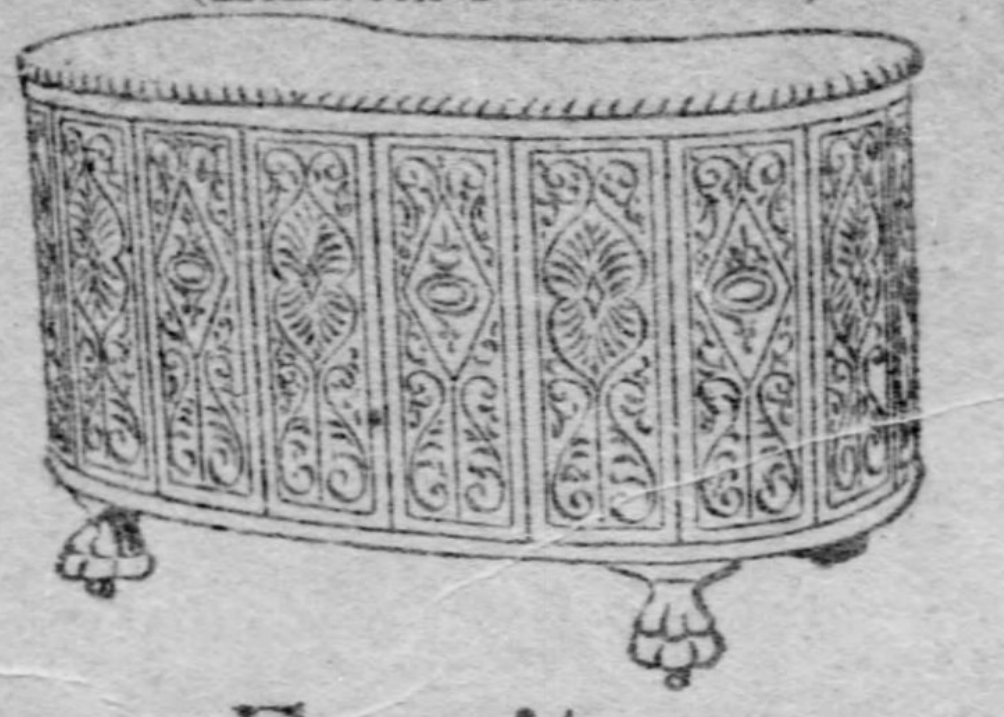

Furniture For the Library

Inasmuch as one spends a great deal of time in the long fall and winter evenings about the library table, it is in keeping that that article of furniture should be as handsome and convenient as it is possible for the designer to make it.

With this idea in view the designer of this library set to work to construct what should be an ideal piece of furniture. The picture does not give you an adequate idea of the beauty of the table, but should you see it for yourself you will admit that it would be hard to conceive anything more artistic in furniture construction.

The carving, you will note, is exceedingly rich and effective. Whether the environment be plain or elaborate this library table will always harmonize with its surroundings.

The table is provided with a large middle drawer, with three drawers on middle drawer. Made of hamogany; 50 inches long, 27½ wide and 29½ high.

As this is the largest furniture house in the world, the line of library tables is extensive. Consequently you will have no difficulty in gratifying your taste.

Prices are moderate at

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The charges of this Company for acting as Executor can be arranged in advance so that the maker of a will may know exactly what the settlement of his estate will cost.

Stomach Paralysis

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, properly named, is Paralysis of the Stomach.

When you have water-brash, feel sick at the stomach, have gas or wind on it, or feel as though you had a ball or heavy weight in the pit of the stomach after eating, and the nerves and muscles of that organ cease to act and digest your food, that stoppage in the process of digestion, to call it properly, is Paralysis of the Stomach, and should be treated as such. It is perfect folly to assist the stomach with dyspepsia remedies and stimulants to dissolve the undigested food. You may get relief, but at the next meal you suffer again. The proper treatment is to build up the worn out muscles and nerves of the stomach so that it can do its own work without assistance, and not only digest the food you eat to-day but tomorrow and forever after; as is done, by the use of Dr. Chase's Blood and Nerve Food and Liver Food, which have an immediate action on the nerves and muscles, that control digestion. The price of the Blood and Nerve Food, 50 cents; the Liver Food 25 cents. Book free.

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Tuesday, September 20, 1904.

A Sale Today in the Interest of Dressmakers and People Who Do Home Sewing.

It is our semi-annual sale of dressmakers' utilities. It includes all sorts of dressmakers' findings, as well as the things that are used by people who do their own sewing. The prices average about 10 per cent lower than our usual close figures. While the saving on single articles amounts to but a cent or two, yet pennies saved thus quickly mount into dollars. Especially is this true in case of professional dressmakers, who buy many dollars' worth of such materials in a year. Here are the prices:

Dress Shields—

Paris light weight shields, size 2, $1.25 dozen; size 3, $1.50 dozen; size 4, $1.75 dozen; size 5, $3.00 dozen.

Kleinert's featherweight shields, size 2, $1.62 dozen; size 3, $1.85 dozen; size 4, $2.05 dozen; size 5, $2.48 dozen.

Hooks and Eyes and Fasteners

Penn Hooks and Eyes, extra quality, with invisible eyes, rust proof, all sizes, 42c gross, $5.00 great gross.

Unique Hooks and Eyes, 2 dozen per card, 17c gross, $1.75 great gross.

Dorcas Hooks and Invisible Eyes, 2 dozen per card, 25c gross, $2.50 great gross.

Peets' Hooks and Eyes, 2 dozen to package, 9c package, $1.00 dozen.

Peets' Separate Invisible Eyes, 2 dozen to package, 4c package, 45c dozen packages.

Cling Socket Snap Fasteners, rust proof, black and white, 12½c dozen, $1.35 gross.

Raymond's ball and socket Fastener, small size, 7c dozen, 75c gross; large size, 9c dozen, $1.00 gross.

Thread—

Coats' or Clark's 6-cord machine Cotton, 5c spool, 50c dozen.

Brooks' glace, or soft finish Thread, 5c spool, 50c dozen.

Horne's special Basting Thread, 500-yard spools, 4c spool, 40c dozen.

Beltings—

Double Serge, satin and moire skirt belting, 1 inch, all colors, 10-yard bolts, very special at 50c bolt.

Narrow glace Skirt Belting, black and gray, 10-yard bolts, special at 10c bolt.

Narrow glace Belting, 10-yard bolts, best quality, 15c bolt.

Circular skirt banding, black and colors, 10-yard bolts, 30c to $1.00 a bolt.

Skirt Braids and Bindings—

Horne's special quality mohair Skirt Braid, all desirable colors and black, 5-yard bolt, 9c bolt, $1.00 dozen.

S., H. & M. double edge Skirt Braid, 5-yard bolt, colors and black, 25c bolt, $2.75 dozen.

Extra quality silk seam Binding, ½-inch, 9-yard bolts, 12½c each, $1.35 dozen.

No. 2 silk seam binding, black and white, 60c dozen bolts.

Pins—

Puritan dressmaking pins, half-pound boxes, sizes 3, 4, 5, 6—22½c a box, $2.45 dozen boxes.

National Pins, 360 to the paper, all sizes, 4c paper, 45c dozen.

Brass Pins, full count, 36c dozen.

Adamantine Pins, full count, 12c dozen papers.

Sewing Silks—

Belding Bros.' best make of Sewing Silks, prize medal, black only, 1 oz. spools, 60c spool, $6.50 dozen.

Special brand, 1 oz. spools, black only, 38c spool, $4.25 dozen.

Best quality 100-yard spools, black and colored, 85c dozen.

Rice's special make, black only, 100-yard spools, 60c dozen.

Featherbone—

Silk covered Featherbone for waists, black and white, $1.00 dozen yards.

Cotton covered Featherbone, 88c dozen yards.

Silk covered Collarbone, 6c yard, $2.00 box of 36 yards.

Foundation Collars, white and black, 5c each, 60c dozen.

36-inch strips of real Whalebone, $1.50, $1.75, $2.00 and $3.00 dozen.

Sewing Machine Needles—

Needles for all popular machines, 40c and 60c dozen papers.

Sewing Needles—

Milward's Roberts' and other good makes, 4c paper, 45c dozen.

Miscellaneous—

60-inch linen Tape Measures, tipped ends, 4c each, 45c dozen.

Large bottle sperm Machine Oil, 4c bottle, 45c dozen.

Splendid Showing of Library Furniture

We think this an opportune time to take up the question of furniture. Most people like to have everything cosy before the cold weather starts in, and especially does this apply to the library or living room. In our Fifth Floor Furniture Department there are many hundreds of pieces of handsome furniture, and one day at least could be spent profitably in looking over the new things.

We begin this Autumn season with an exceptionally attractive variety of Furniture designed and built especially for the Library, many of the pieces being imported and many built after our own ideas and designs.

There are many styles of Turkish Chairs and Divans.

Luxurious English Davenports and Sofas.

Deep-seated London Club Chairs.

Reproductions of fine old English and Colonial Bookcases.

Handsomely Designed Morris Chairs.

Tables and unique pieces suitable to the Library.

Following are a few numbers with prices attached—

Mahogany Arm Chair in Red English Morocco, $95.00.

Easy Chair in Blue Leather, $125.00.

Thomas Jefferson Desk—solid mahogany—$38.00.

George Washington Table—solid mahogany—$125.00.

Mahogany Lounging Chair, $60.00.

Chesterfield Davenport, $75.00.

Mahogany Leather Rocker, $30.00.

Carved Oak Tables, $85.00.

Oak Bookcase, 3 section, $50.00.

Large Oak Bookcase, $60.00.

Mahogany Bookcase, $60.00.

Oak Morris Chair, $10.00.

Oak Card Table, $30.00.

Mahogany Rocker, Spanish leather, $21.50.

Inlaid Mahogany Card Table, $60.00.

Mahogany Table, 5 feet long, with drawers, $95.00.

Baronial Oak Davenport in Spanish Leather, $150.00.

Baronial Oak Arm Chair in Spanish Leather, $125.00.

On the Important Subject of Mattresses.

Our long experience in the making and selling of mattresses places us in position to know what is best and most satisfactory. We take it that the question of the purchase of a mattress is quite an important one, as not less than a third of one's time is given to sleep. We sell all kinds of mattresses and tell you exactly the truth about each. For instance, we sell husk mattresses, but do not recommend them, as they are apt to be hard and uncomfortable at best. We can show you good cotton mattresses, or better still, the Yaprak, which we can recommend most highly, as we have a say in the making of it.

Husk Mattresses, $3.50, $4.00, $4.75.

Cotton Mattresses, $5.50, $6.75.

Yaprak Mattresses, $11.50.

Cotton Felt Mattresses, $8.00, $9.00, $11.00, $13.50, $16.00, $18.00.

Hair Mattresses, $20.00, $28.00, $35.00, $39.50 and $45.00.

An Attractive Collection of New Laces.

We are ready with a beautiful collection of new Autumn laces and lace novelties. They are of our own importation and represent the finest laces that Europe produces. Among them the new Pointe d'Irelande, new Venise Laces, new Net Top, new Oriental Laces, new Duchess, new Rose Pointe and Pointe Appliques.

In lace berthas we are showing beautiful patterns in imitation Pointe Gaze and in net top laces, as well as the finer Duchess and Pointe designs.

Special in Lace Robes—

We have twenty-five of the newest and prettiest of Lace Robes—Oriental or Plauen Lace. They were brought over to sell for $20.00 and $25.00, but were purchased on a basis that permits us to say $12.00 and $15.00, respectively. Note that these are not only this year's styles, but good styles at that.

Women's Fine Cotton Hose, 25c Pr.

Today we place on sale a very attractive line of women's imported cotton hose. These are extra fine hose in black with contrasting shade of embroidery on instep. These are very different from the ordinary 25c stockings, and there is an endless number of different patterns of embroidery to select from.

Fine Clothes for Boys.

We take unusual pride in selling clothes for boys that will be appreciated by particular parents. We are told by the manufacturer that we are the only store in Greater Pittsburg that stipulates that every suit or pair of trousers sold shall be absolutely pure wool. And we are just as particular about the designs, the cutting and the workmanship. We add our own ideas to the wit of the best manufacturers, and produce clothing that is better, not only in one, but in many respects, than any other clothing you will find.

These four styles of boys' suits at $5.00.

Russian Blouse Suits, for boys of 2½ to 7 years.

Sailor Suits of serge and smart mixed cheviots, for boys of 3 to 12 years.

Norfolk and double-breasted jacket suits, with knee trousers, of handsome mixed cheviots for boys of 8 to 16 years.

Less Prices for Millinery Requisites.

Take the following items as specimens of the basis on which we sell millinery and millinery requisites of all kinds.

Wings—

This assortment is made up of imported wings, in the leading colorings—

50c values for 35c.
$1.00 values for 50c.
$1.50 and $1.75 values for $1.00.

Pompons—

These are of coque or heckle feathers, with quill ends—made so as not to blow apart.

50c values, 25c.
75c values, 50c.
$1.00 values, 75c.

Paris Roses—

We are showing a line of Paris Roses in pastel tints, with foliage to match, at 48c and 58c a bunch.

The Following Styles of Umbrellas, 95c Each.

School Umbrellas—boys'—26-inch size, mannish styles, natural handle.

School Umbrellas—girls'—26-inch size, fancy pearl, horn, silver, trimmed natural or plain natural wood handles.

Umbrellas for women—26-inch, fancy pearl, silver, natural or trimmed handles.

Umbrellas for men—26 or 28-inch length, silver trimmed or fine plain natural handles.

See these umbrellas and let them speak for themselves.

$1.00 Voile, 68c a Yard.

We told the women of Pittsburg about this offer Saturday afternoon, but think it good enough for a second telling.

It is a very fine grade of voile of this year's importation—43 inches wide, and shown in all the leading Autumn colorings—Yeddo brown, French and navy blue, and, of course, the always wanted black.

New Brass and Iron Beds.

We don't handle the inferior class of metal beds. Our brass beds are the best of their kind, some of them very simple in their construction, their beauty depending on the material alone—others are highly ornate, but all of them are what we represent them to be—no more, no less. This also applies to the iron beds.

Iron Beds, full size, $2.00, $5.00, $6.00, $7.00, $8.00, $9.00, $10.00, $12.00, $13.00, $15.00, $16.00, $17.00, $19.00, $24.00 each.

Brass Beds, full size, $20.00, $24.00, $25.00, $28.00, $33.00, $37.50, $40.00, $42.00, $44.00, $45.00, $48.00, $50.00, $55.00, $60.00, $64.00, $65.00, $75.00.

Fine French Undermuslins for Half Prices.

This collection is made up of finest Paris Lingerie. All handmade, of course. Only the finest of Nainsooks, Lawns and Percales are used. Some are artistically hand-embroidered, others tastefully trimmed with real and imitation laces. Not mussed or soiled, but beautiful and fresh, and as dainty a lot of undergarments as this store ever presented to the women of the greater town for inspection.

We gave the matter in detail in last evening's papers, but repeat—the prices are exactly half of regular prices.

Artificial Plants, Specially Priced.

We always use a great number of plants, both natural and artificial, for our millinery openings, and as soon as they have served their turn, sell them for very special prices.

Today we offer a choice collection of Artificial Plants, which may be used for decorating homes, clubs or cafes.

5-leaf Palms, 28 inches high, 25c.
7-leaf Palms, 42 inches high, 75c.
9-leaf Palms, 60 inches high, $1.25.

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Perhaps you are not aware that we not only make over pillows and bolsters, but renovate them. We will also undertake to renovate a cotton, felt or hair mattress. We give this part of our business our most careful attention.

We are in position to handle any amount of this class of work, execute it in a thoroughly first-class manner and make very moderate charges for the same.

Buster Brown, His Dog Tige, and Their Troubles.

In Our Book Nook at 50c.

Resolved: Not to say much about Buster Brown. It is hardly necessary to introduce him, as he is well known from Maine to California. The narrative of the joys and vicissitudes of this young gentleman of good resolutions but mischievous inclinations is brimful of humor. Interesting to young and old.

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Tuesday, September 20, 1904.

Judge Parker's secrecy makes plausible all sorts of rumors. He is now credited with attempting to name the Democratic nominee for governor of New York. Several weeks ago the judge gave his assent to the election of Taggart as chairman of the Democratic committee, but now "Smiling Tom" is doing his boasting in the west, while Gorman has been looking after the New York end of the campaign. It is easy to attribute power to a silent man when he makes no positive assertions himself and there is no one to deny the stories circulated about him.

Common council is to be commended for giving official sanction to the real condition controlling its sessions. When it adjourned last evening to "meet at the call of the director of the department of public works" it recognized the potent authority and perpetrated as neat a bit of parliamentary pleasantry as has been seen in City hall for some time. If it shall prove that this formal action of council commits it to adjournment until a call is issued from that source nothing will be lost, for the director may order a quorum publicly as easily as privately. There is nothing like having things rightly understood.

Refugees reaching Berlin declare the riot at Sosnowicz, Russian Poland, to have been a repetition of Kishinef, except that the number of victims is smaller. There is no more official effort in this case, either, to mete out puunishment to the perpetrators. The fact of the matter is that Russian officials sympathize with these dastardly outrages upon the Jews, and the peasants rely upon that sympathy to secure them from the vengeance of the law for their crimes. It is these things that turn the civilized nations against Russia, and until justice is established in that empire it cannot hope to inspire genuine friendship anywhere.

There is an unpleasant persistence of the rumor that Director Harry Moore of the department of public safety is to be removed from office because he has been too vigorous in the enforcement of the laws against gamblers and disorderlies. We hope this rumor has no foundation. Any departure from a policy of rigid and impartial enforcement of these laws is inevitably productive of a system of graft and corruption. That system is as certainly accompanied by relaxation all along the line of the measures designed for the protection of person and property. Mr. Moore's administration has not been perfect, but it is so far above the general standard of the administration and its best features are so directly due to the director's personal efforts that his removal from office will give intense offense to decent public sentiment.

War is awful under the best circumstances, but as it is painted from Chefoo upon the alleged authority of a Russian prince it is past comprehension. That report will be received with mental reservations by thoughtful people. The prince is quoted as freely admitting Russia disregard for the flag of truce and combat between Japanese battalions. These things can hardly be true. There have been no such exhibitions of savagery in the campaign in Manchuria, and there is no reason why the forces at Port Arthur should be so wholly lost to all sense of humanity. Flags of truce may be fired upon by mistake, and Japanese battalions may attack each other through error, but there must be confirmation from other sources before the Chefoo report can be believed.

There has been little amelioration for the suffering caused by war since so-called savage periods, and those who have been inspired by the brief accounts from the far east of strategical movements and individual heroism are now hearing the ghastly and revolting details of battlefields strewn with dead and wounded and descriptions of the agonies of mutilated men who are left to die without relief. Our civil war may seem heroic in the perspective of years that have elapsed, but the carnage of the great battles was very real at the time. If The Hague or any other altruistic tribunal wishes to soften the hardships of battles it can do so only by abolishing war itself. It is a small matter whether armies are forbidden to sharpen their swords, and when we would bar the explosive bullet we must remember that shells are allowed to carry much larger charges of deadly chemicals intended to mangle the enemy. Methods of cutting people up legitimately and doing the same work contrary to the laws of nations will differ very little. The object of the components in every army is to kill those opposed to them, and no test of civilization is afforded by the force that punctiliously awaits the call of "time" before beginning the slaughter.

The Chinese quarter in the vicinity of Mott and Pell streets has long been one of the "sights" of New York city and it has been visited by curious tourists, especially on Sundays, when the laundries are closed, so that the Chinese crowd the little section from curb to curb. But the Chinese quarter is being commercialized by sightseers and is in danger of losing its simplicity as illustrating oriental life. The "seeing New York" parties are now taken to Chinatown at night under the direction of a special guide, so the natives show the effects of being paid "to be looked at." One effect of this regular observation will be to scatter Chinese residents to other parts of the city. But so long as they are barred from American citizenship they are not likely to be assimilated. They may be less distinctively Chinamen than they were, but are hardly more American.

Better Methods Proposed.

Yesterday's meeting of the board of directors of the chamber of commerce was highly interesting. Three subjects of public importance were brought up and two recommendations adopted. The third matter was not acted upon, though the suggestion was good. It was that the filtration bond ordinance should be repealed and another enacted providing for an interest rate of 3½ per cent and for issue as the money is needed. The powers that be would probably pay no attention to the suggestion, even if it had been adopted, and the same is probably true concerning the effort to have Grant boulevard kept free of railway tracks.

The remaining subject, however, may fairly be expected to challenge the attention even of the present city administration. There is no citizen who has not had painful experience with the method in vogue for conducting street repairs. During the present season the downtown thoroughfares have been torn up to the great inconvenience, discomfort and loss of the public in general and business men in particular. That this is unnecessary is made apparent at a glance.

The method proposed by the chamber of commerce is practical and economical. Its superiority has been demonstrated in London and the cities of continental Europe, where street repairs are looked after closely. There is no waiting for a small defect in the pavement to become a slough, necessitating the tearing up of the whole street. The policy is to apply the stitch in time that saves the other nine. This is not only the economical way, but it is the cleanly way and the needless multiplication of street dust is little short of a crime. The chamber of commerce deserves the thanks of the community for bringing this matter up and urging it upon the attention of city authorities.

Bankers and the Campaign.

The fact was brought out pretty clearly at the convention of the bankers in New York city last week that the apparent apathy of the custodians of these institutions over the result of the national election is due to confidence rather than indifference as to which party will win. The result of the election is discounted, especially in the west, and financiers no longer fear the depreciation in currency that threatened their stockholders and depositors four and eight years ago. This attitude can hardly bring much comfort to the Democrats, for it by no means implies satisfaction with that party's declaration on the money question or the Parker gold telegram.

In most cases bank directors feel that they can safely resume their position of impartiality, satisfied that the gold standard will be preserved and still further strengthened by the return of a Republican administration. So hopeful were the bank delegates from the west that they expressed surprise that there should be any uncertainty in the Wall street district. But the bank men who claimed dissatisfaction with conditions are generally concluding that it is safer to continue the party in power that stood for gold when silver was threatening than to go over to one whose advocacy of cheap money created the disturbed conditions.

There has been no outpouring of campaign funds from the banks comparable with that of four years ago, and few sound money parades are likely to be undertaken, but the trustees of people's earnings are none the less anxious to preserve a stable standard. Thus the president of an institution like the Bowery Savings bank in New York continues to act with the Republican party, although a great majority of his 142,000 depositors are Democrats. It is more a business question with him than one of sentiment, for he votes with the party that assures his bank the greatest protection.

The Progress of Germany.

It is rather difficult to say what constitutes a satisfactory test of national welfare. Those who take industrial statistics as the test expose themselves to the reproach of a school of thinkers who regard that as the low standard of mere materialism. Rousseau argued that the true scientific test of good government was the growth of population, but that test would lead to conclusions as to the relative value of various forms of government which we would not accept. We certainly would not admit that China's swarming life is proof of the superiority of Chinese over western institutions.

Increase of wealth and population together is probably as good test as can be had of the efficiency of national institutions. The value in this respect of the establishment of strong, capable government is impressively displayed in the rapid strides which Germany has been making since the creation of the empire. The last census of Germany, just published, shows that the total population is now 59,495,000, an increase of 18,500,000 since the establishment of the empire in 1871. This is an enormous increase in so small a country, subject to a heavy drain by emigration. The increase last year alone was 881,000, and the necessity of providing space for this rapidly expanding population gives the clue to the interpretation of German policy. It is essential to the future greatness of the German empire that land shall be found for the German people so that their increase shall go to the upbuilding of their own country and not feed the growth of other nations at the expense of their own nation.

The industrial growth of Germany is as remarkable as her growth in population. In 1880 Germany was led to adopt the policy of protection by the example of the United States. There is no doubt about this, for we have Prince Bismarck's word for it in introducing that policy. In a speech in the reichstag he remarked that "the success of the United States in material development is the most illustrious in modern times." He also said: "Because of my deliberate judgment that the prosperity of America is mainly due to its system of protective laws, I urge that Germany has now reached the point where it is necessary to imitate the tariff system of the United States." The result of the policy thus introduced stands forth impressively in a recent report of our bureau of statistics at Washington. Since 1880 exports of manufactures from Germany have increased from $460,000,000 to $780,000,000, a gain of over 69 per cent. During the same period our exports of manufactures have increased over 339 per cent, but, as might be inferred from the size of the percentage, we had rather low figures to start from. In this branch of exports the total for 1903 was $452,000,000, which is more than those of France but much below those of Germany. Germany is building up her merchant marine and is developing her commerce with a systematic diligence which threatens even British supremacy in this field. While we are still contending over the very principle of protection, Germany is giving to it an application so intelligent and comprehensive that in our turn we might well take some lessons from her experience.

Keeping Up Good Work.

Such marked success attended the tour of West Virginia, under the auspices of the Merchants and Manufacturers' association, that a longer tour of Ohio will be undertaken next month. The proposal is to give six days to the Ohio towns, possibly going as far west as Dayton. The field is a rich one and much of it is naturally tributary to Pittsburgh by virtue of community of interest and convenience of transportation. The results achieved by this trip should be no less satisfactory than those from the former tour, for we are sure the Ohio merchants must be favorably impressed by personal contact with the Pittsburgh business men.

Meantime the association will inaugurate a good movement at home tomorrow—that of having special trolley cars run for the accommodation of those who desire to see Greater Pittsburgh to the best advantage. The arrangement with the Pittsburgh Railways Company calls for this special service daily over three routes. This will be a great convenience to visitors to the city and it is probable a great many residents will find it instructive and beneficial to go over the routes occasionally. Pittsburgh is growing at a rate that makes it ever new and interesting.

Special Fire Exits.

Only by such notable disasters as the Chicago theater fire and the burning of the steamer Slocum are people aroused to the danger from flames in crowded places, for they seem to overlook the frequent deaths from tenement house fires in New York and other cities. Almost everyone has imagined what he would do in case of such emergency, but few can predict how they would meet it in case of panic. When a man is alone in danger he is more likely to keep his wits about him and act as a reasonable being, but when he is excited by the movements of a multitude he may lose his presence of mind and add to the confusion.

Many instances prove that the person caught suddenly in a burning building will seek the best means of escape or will at least prove tractable to the firemen who seek to rescue him. Women with the responsibility for the care of children are often heroic in their attempts to save life, even at the sacrifice of their own.

But unreasonable acts of a mob are contagious, and when once a panic is started it is difficult to restore any semblance of order. It is said by an experienced building inspector that a terror-stricken crowd will seek the entrance through which it came in attempting to leave, regardless of the special fire escapes provided. No matter how great care is taken to have fire exits available and special doors ready for an emergency, there will usually be enough men and women rushing to the regular entrances to block them. He thinks it is of the first importance, therefore, to make the regular doorways spacious and sufficient to care for an emergency. Special exits comply with the law and satisfy the people who wish some provision made, but they rarely prove of real service when the crisis tests their practical value.

The war maneuvers at Manassas cost the United States about $700,000, but the sum was well expended if they gave the militiamen a lesson on the hardship of a real campaign. While our boys were complaining about blistered feet and lack of water, the Japanese soldiers were surprising observers by their physical endurance in chasing the enemy. The complaint of green militiamen came at an unfortunate time.

The murderer in Pawtucket, R. I., who refused to plead guilty to killing a woman with an ax and came back into court to admit that he brained her with a club, certainly failed to appreciate the enormity of his crime, whether he was impelled by a sense of humor or was only insisting on correctness in details.

Although the announcement has been made that only a "slight Russian victory" would be needed to bring about a cessation of hostilities the czar's troops have shown no inclination to turn around and rout the Japanese, even for a brief period.

Prince Radziwill indicates that the Russians no longer protest against the Japanese swearing when they go into battle, but they object to truces for burying the dead.

It was a prominent worker at Democratic headquarters in New York city who suggested that the campaign text book might be issued as a Christmas souvenir.

Former State Chairman Kerr would like to have Col. Guffey's permit to take down the Pennsylvania Democracy, but how would he like to put up for it?

While we hesitate to impugn the veracity of the Russian prince who has escaped from Port Arthur, it is quite well known there is a liar or two in Chefoo.

There has been ample illustration in this town recently of the advantage of the method of street repair advocated by the chamber of commerce.

That third battle of Bull Run cost almost as much as a real fight. Another extravagance for Parker and Davis and Atkinson to mourn over.

Tomorrow inaugurates the street-car service for seeing Pittsburgh to better advantage than staying in the smoky downtown district.

With Gorman managing Taggart, the springs hotel is doomed to go far in the background.

Co-ordinate branches of municipal government—councils and the director of public works.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

(BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.)

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The unpopularity of the automobile among those who walk was shown by two incidents within the past few hours—one in Broadway and the other in the Bowery. As one might suppose, the Bowery incident was the more strenuous. An aged woman was run down and seriously injured. The chauffeur was mobbed. The automobile was surrounded and the crowd would not allow it to proceed until an ambulance surgeon arrived and reported the woman was not seriously injured. In the Broadway incident, the chauffeur picked up his victim, an aged man, who will probably lose both legs if not his life, but the other three occupants of the machine, a man and two women, tried to get away, but a boy followed them and informed the first policeman met. The chauffeur and his male passenger were each held in $2,500 bail, although the former tried to take all the blame on himself.

When one considers the speed at which automobiles are run in the streets here, even along crowded Broadway with its car lines and its great number of vehicles, it is most surprising there are not more accidents of this sort. There seems to be little heed of the danger of knocking down pedestrians, and one must keep a sharp lookout to be able to cross the street in safety. To a casual observer it would seem no thought is given to speed limit, or at least the automobiles go to the limit all the time.

Vanity, Vanity, All Is Vanity.

Tom Sharkey, the idol of sailordom, has been vanquished, and by a woman. At least he has been to see a beauty doctor to get rid of the chief trophy of one of his many personal encounters with other men who were willing to fight for certain emoluments. That trophy was—and still is, but it may fade away—a mushroom ear. The ear was flattened out by a blow from the fist of a haughty gladiator, and during the night following it swelled to the size and shape of a prize mushroom. Now Sharkey is trying to get rid of this "red badge of courage," and the beauty doctor says it can be done. Of course, everybody knows "Tom" was stung some time ago by one of Cupid's shafts. Incidentally he says he will never enter the ring again. He admits the missus—his wife—doesn't like to see him trimmed up so much to another man's taste.

Back to the Old Home.

After spending the summer among the lions and things Mr. Bostock bosses around much like a school ma'am bosses her pupils, Harry Schwab, the one-time Pittsburgher, is back on the Rialto and incidentally back in his old berth with Kirke Lashelle. Schwab is now ahead of "The Earl of Pawtucket," alias Lawrence d'Orsay. The friendship of d'Orsay and Schwab is proverbial along Broadway, and the two may again be seen together at the popular cafes.

Jail for a Real Living Count.

"A count in Germany may be only a thief in this country," is a bit of logic that Judge Aspinwall of Brooklyn let off this morning, and he made good by sentencing the Count von Prague to a year's imprisonment for alleged passing of bogus checks. The count was a clerk in the quartermaster's department at Governors island and he passed some checks, it was charged, that were hardly up to the standard. He needed the money to entertain some girl friends at Brighton Beach. He had a lovely time.

To show they have not forgotten the good times they used to have, the girls all came into court to see him get his year's vacation. The count is a lieutenant in the German army on a two-years' leave to see the world. Had he been less careless he might have seen more of it than he will during the next year.

Luscious Morsel for Baby Pete.

Pete, the baby hippopotamus in Central park, has the record of daintiness of appetite. Today a young woman called to see Pete and to amuse him she dangled her chatelaine bag near his nose. Pete's large jaws opened, and he was soon chewing upon the bag, its contents and a large section of the gold chain. A scream from the young woman brought a keeper.

"He has swallowed my railroad ticket, my cards and my money," wailed the victim of Pete's appetite. The keeper generously tickled Pete under the chin, but he wouldn't give up. It was too late. In despair the young woman stamped her foot, then walked off toward Fifth avenue. She declined to give her name or the amount of her loss. Pete did not so much as apologize.

Jack Finds New Friend.

Visitors to Central park are seeking the identity of a well-dressed woman, who has shown so much interest in Jack, a collie who was presented to the park by J. Pierpont Morgan, that she has become known as the "sheep guardian's admirer." Stricken with illness soon after he arrived in the park, about two weeks ago, Jack's condition became critical and it was feared that he would die. During his illness the dog's mysterious friend visited the park almost daily and inquired regarding his condition. Jack is well again, but his friend continues to visit him.

Finds Brother in Man He Rescues.

Directing the work of 100 willing hands and exerting to the utmost the strength of his own stalwart frame, Patrick Flannigan, released last night from beneath a street car in Central park west, near the circle, a supposed stranger, to find it was his own brother. John Flannigan attempted to cross in front of a car. A curbstone standing several inches above the level of the ground caused him to fall. Before he could rise the car struck him.

Patrick Flannigan shouldered his way to the front of the car and took command. Men in evening dress stripped off their coats and sprang to the side of the car. At Flannigan's word they tilted the heavy vehicle while others lifted out the imprisoned man. His work finished, Flannigan cast a casual glance at the man he had helped and recognized his brother.

"Is that you, John?" he cried.

"Right you are, Pat. That was a good lift of yours," was the feeble reply.

Flannigan was taken to Roosevelt hospital where it was said today his injuries might prove fatal.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

St. Regis.
J. Bland.
Waldorf-Astoria.
Miss A. Johnston,
Miss H. Johnston,
W. J. Johnston,
Miss E. Grove,
Mrs. J. W. Grove,
Miss L. T. Miller,
Mrs. R. Miller,
J. H. Moore,
W. I. Mustin.
Hotel Astor.
M. J. Rich,
W. W. Vensel.
Holland.
Mrs. O. M. Hartzell,
H. E. Lineaweaver,
J. H. Frederick.
Imperial.
R. E. Wrigley,
Miss White,
Mrs. A. E. White,
E. L. White,
Mrs. J. Garner,
W. D. Hamilton,
F. N. Jones,
Mrs. Jones,
H. Carl, Jr.,
A. C. Terry,
Mrs. Terry,
G. D. Kelly,
J. A. Cheyne,
E. J. Shellentrager,
H. L. Kreusler.
Manhattan.
Miss M. A. Beatty,
Miss S. T. Beatty,
Mrs. H. B. Beatty,
S. W. Baker.
Herald Square.
A. M. Saunders,
E. G. Saunders,
C. S. Curry,
J. L. Kaufman,
H. G. Schafer.
Broadway Central.
H. F. Smith,
Mrs. J. F. Smith,
J. S. Leend.
Bartholdi.
H. A. Hall,
Mrs. Hall.
Park Avenue.
W. Weiss.

Holland.
Miss M. Curry,
Mrs. H. Curry.
Fifth Avenue.
J. W. Renner,
F. W. Anderson,
J. Rhodes,
E. Thaw.
Continental.
M. H. Smith,
W. A. Young.
Grand Union.
C. M. Lyons,
J. C. Blake.
Victoria.
J. P. Laughlin.
Albemarle.
R. R. Quay,
Mrs. M. S. Quay,
J. S. Atterbury.
Everett.
F. S. Stedman,
R. Janevin,
J. Watson.
New Amsterdam.
P. J. Barry,
J. Hughes.
St. Denis.
L. G. Lobaugh,
Mrs. Lobaugh.
York.
A. Gillespie.
Astor House.
T. Herriott.
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Mrs. G. Scheib.
Raleigh.
E. J. Benman.
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F. S. Guthrie,
Mrs. Guthrie.
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Belvedere.
H. F. Mock.
Wolcott.
Miss M. Mears,
F. H. Tooker,
J. W. Orr.

Taking Plenty of Time.

It is now announced that Judge Parker's letter of acceptance won't be forthcoming for 10 days more. The judge must have been a messenger boy in his youth.—Ohio State Journal.

Different Things

By CLAUDE MERCER.

LET'S SMILE!

Neighbor, ev'ry little while
Let's smile!

This ol' world's the only kind
O' planet I've been onto yet,
(I ain't tryin' hard to find
Ary better 'un, you bet!)
I say, ev'ry little while
Feller'd oughter stop an' smile.
Laws o' mercy! what's the use
Lookin' like all hope wuz gone?
Surely one kin find excuse
Fer bein' merry off an' on
I say, ev'ry little while
Let's smile!

Why on earth shed you an' me
Go round givin' hearts a wrench,
Frownin' everlastin'ly?
This world ain't no mourner's bench.
I say, ev'ry little while
People'd oughter stop an' smile.
This globe's jes' a pretty fair
Place ez fur ez I kin see;
Ev'rybody gits a share
O' sunshine, even you an' me.
I say, ev'ry little while
Let's smile!

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"There's a warm wave coming," said Grumps satirically, as Spoonly turned about at a distant corner to signal a last fond farewell to his wife. "It's to be hoped this pleasant weather will last."

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"Foh any sake!" exclaimed Mrs. Johnsing disgustedly, holding up a pair of openwork stockings, "if dat fool guhl ain't done gone bought a pair o' brack ones! Ah wondah w'at on yeth she reckon she am—a blonde?"

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"Ah, Moike, ye poor divil ye," said Terry, regarding the mangled corpse of his friend who had been killed in an accident, compassionately, "if ye had to be kilt intoirely, shure, it's lucky ye'll be thinkin' yersilf when ye go home an' foind out thot yer mother-in-law has come to stay six wakes!"

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They were comparing notes through the palings of the back yard fence, with Benny the kid always a little in the lead.

"My papa's on the pension list," flashed Willy, at last, triumphantly.

"Aw, fade away!" said Benny the kid, as he spat on a stone and shied it at a disappearing cat. "My dad's in the penitentiary!"

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"Esmeralda," said Mr. Oldun, sinking to his knees, the stress of a great passion shaking his voice, "I would be willing to die for you. Believe me, I—"

"Oh, I believe you," she replied with a dazzling smile, "how could I doubt it when—"

"Ah, my angel!" he cried delightedly, getting upon his feet as rapidly as his rheumatic joints would permit. He made as if he would clasp her to him, but she gestured him back, eying his preternaturally black whiskers sardonically. "—When I can plainly see that you have actually dyed already!"

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"Yer money er yer life!" said a voice with a note of ominous command in it.

The Prominent Politician found himself staring into the muzzle of a six-shooter. He was a man of nerve, however, and stood his ground.

"Stand aside, fellow!" he exclaimed sternly. "Do you know who I am?"

"No, an' I don't give a d—! Shut yer trap an' hand over, er I'll perforate you."

"I'm Graftem of the city council."

The footpad regarded him for a moment intently, then, lowering his revolver, extended his hand cordially.

"Shake, old pal! an' excuse a little misunderstanding between friends. How's pickin' over in the Steenth?"

PERSONALS

Thomas J. Keenan of Pittsburgh, sailed from New York yesterday for the West Indies, where he has a large estate on the Isle of Pines. Mr. Keenan is president of the American Society of the Isle of Pines, which has a membership of over 1,000. He said it was not likely the next session of congress will pass a bill surrendering the Isle of Pines.

The condition of Charles Lockhart was reported last evening to be somewhat improved, and it is now believed that he will recover from this attack. His great age, however, renders his condition still serious.

J. L. Winters, a ship broker of New Orleans, passed through the city last night after placing an order with an eastern ship building firm for a number of small tugs to be used in the cotton trade at New Orleans and other of the lower ports. "Cotton looks good," he said, "all through the south. The weevil is bad in many parts of Texas, but we have been particularly free of the insect this year. I think we will press out a full crop. I have never seen the fields as white as they were when I left home. The cane was full of sap and the year will be the best in our sugar crops."

The New York life insurance train, known as the $200,000 club train, passed through Pittsburg last night. It consisted of four Pullmans and a combination car. There were aboard about 100 passengers, agents of the company and their wives and daughters. All the male passengers were representatives of the company who have written $250,000 insurances for the past three consecutive years. After a three-day stay at West Baden, Ind., the party goes to the St. Louis fair.

Maj. Charles Loeffler, the well-known veteran who keeps special watch and guard at the door of the president's sanctum in the White House at Washington, who entered the army in 1858 and who has been on special duty at the White House ever since the day in 1864 when he was ordered to report to Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton for special duty, is spending a few days in Pittsburgh as the guest of his friend, Dr. J. Kornblum. The two have been cronies for many years and always enjoy themselves when they can get together. Maj. Loeffler will return to Washington this week, so as to be there when President Roosevelt returns from Oyster Bay. The major looks as hale and hearty as a man many years his junior.

Robert Pitcairn and family left over the Panhandle for St. Louis last night.

James McCrea, vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad, arrived in the city last night after a vacation in Europe.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Monticello.
W. S. Arbuthnot,
G. W. Singer,
Mrs. E. C. Haskinson,
Miss Behler,
Miss Ott,
L. C. Behler,
Mrs. Hilber,
Miss Silber,
Mr. Mussken,
Mrs. Mussken,
Mr. Seger,
Mrs. Seger,
Mr. Schuer,
Mrs. Schuer,
Mr. Kober,
Mr. Bendley,
Mr. Grebler,
Mr. Koener,
Mr. Roheasre,
Mr. Strasser,
Mr. Fengle,
Mr. Grodenfud.

Monticello.
Mr. Hench,
Mr. Vesser,
Mrs. Vesser,
Mr. Knorr,
Miss Knorr.
Buckingham.
William Flinn,
J. S. Weller,
Miss May S. Flinn,
Miss Edith S. Flinn,
Miss Louise F. Whitshall.
Epworth.
Miss Ethel T. Ballington.
Washington.
John S. Elliott,
Mrs. Elliott,
Miss Gertrude Elliott.
Hamilton.
A. Coster.

Much Cash, No Delivery.

The report that the Democratic candidate for vice president has placed his limit at $50,000 has excited various comment, but there is none that displays more good horse sense than the remark that "it is too much money to pay for a commodity that will never be delivered."—Baltimore American.

First to Yell for Defense.

If a big foreign nation should go to war against the United States, North Carolina, South Carolina and all the other states of the solid Democratic south bordering on the Atlantic and the Gulf of Mexico would be among the first to thank Roosevelt for our larger navy.—Kansas City Journal.

Bryan's Rule Broken.

Instead of following the price of silver, wheat is scraping a speaking acquaintance with radium.—Baltimore Sun (Dem.).

The Death Roll

James Milligan.

James Milligan, aged 91, court crier in the orphans' court and an officer of the court for the last 30 years, died yesterday morning at 10 o'clock, at his home, No. 324 Penn avenue, of old age, after a short illness. Mr. Milligan had an extensive acquaintance among members of the local bar and frequenters of the court. He was appointed a tipstaff by Judge Hawkins when he became a judge in the court and had served ever since. Mr. Milligan was born at the family homestead, "Mt. Forrest," in County Tyrone, Ireland, on September 9, 1813. He came to Pittsburgh in 1845, reaching this city a few days after the lower section had been destroyed by fire. For some time he engaged in the coal business at Webster, and was one of the old rivermen who floated coal down the Ohio by raft. He later secured employment as a shipping clerk at the Duquesne freight station of the Pennsylvania railroad in Liberty avenue. He remained with the railroad about 10 years and during his term of service became acquainted with Andrew Carnegie, who was then a telegraph operator. Sixteen years ago Mr. Milligan and his wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Penn avenue. Mr. Milligan was a former resident of Allegheny and for many years was a member of the First Presbyterian church in that city. He is survived by his widow, who is aged 94, two sons, J. Graham Milligan of Washington, and S. C. Milligan of Alaska, both of whom were former members of the Pittsburgh bar; also by two daughters, Mrs. Koehe, wife of Dr. J. B. Koehe of New London, N. H., and Miss Lida, at home.

Life-Long Friends Buried.

Joseph Loeffler, aged 79, and Lucas Gross, aged 83, who had been friends since boyhood and who died within six hours of each other, were buried yesterday morning from SS. Peter and Paul's Catholic church in Larimer avenue, East End. The services over Mr. Loeffler's remains were held at 10:30 o'clock and those for Mr. Gross followed shortly afterward. The Rev. Father Joseph Suhr, the pastor, officiated. The remains of the friends were buried near each other in St. Mary's cemetery. Mr. Loeffler lived in Station street and Mr. Gross in Continental street.

William A. Pratt.

William A. Pratt, assistant to William H. Brown, chief engineer of the Pennsylvania railroad, died in Philadelphia yesterday. He had been in ill health for some time. Mr. Pratt was regarded as a most efficient official, and to his intelligent and painstaking efforts much of the success of the company's engineering department is said to have been due.

Miss Belle Hanlon.

Miss Belle Hanlon, for 12 years a teacher in the Highland sub-district school, died yesterday of consumption, at the family home, No. 826 Collins avenue, East End. She was a member of the Shady Avenue Baptist church. She was a daughter of James Hanlon and of the late Mrs. Anna B. Hanlon. Funeral services will be held at her late home at 3 p. m. tomorrow.

William Johnson.

William Johnson, aged 55, died at his home in Fairhaven yesterday. He was born in Ingram and had always lived in Allegheny county. For 27 years he lived at Fairhaven. He is survived by his widow and two children, William, Jr., and Clarence, both of Fairhaven. He was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Obituary Notes.

Baron Hastings (George Manners Astley) died last evening in London. He was born in 1857.

Christopher Bilby, an old and well-known citizen of Waynesburg, died yesterday as the result of a fall. He was 86 years old.

Mrs. Jane Wood, wife of Thomas Wood, died at her home in New Castle yesterday, aged 66. She was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church.

William H. Lewis is dead at his late home at Chewton, Lawrence county, aged 69. He was a member of the Wampum Methodist Episcopal church.

Word has been received in Washington, Pa., of the death at Stanford, Ill., of Mrs. William Paul, a member of a prominent Washington count family.

The death of John W. Grace, of the W. R. Grace Company of New York, was announced in a cable dispatch yesterday from London. Mr. Grace had been ill for several weeks.

H. J. Degenther, proprietor of the Hotel Degenther in Millvale, died of heart disease yesterday morning at his home, No. 102 Meade alley, Millvale. His widow and three sons survive.

Mrs. Mary Snyder, widow of Absalom Snyder, died at her home at Bentleyville, Washington county, yesterday, aged 60. She was for many years a member of the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

Jesse H. Farwell, a well-known capitalist of Detroit, died yesterday at the Mount Pleasant house, White Mountains, N. H. Mr. Farwell was at one time one of the largest owners of vessels of the lakes.

John Bittner, aged 42, died yesterday morning at his home, No. 48 South Eleventh street. Funeral services at St. John's Catholic church at 9 a. m. tomorrow. Interment will be made in St. Michael's cemetery.

The body of Samuel Hedge was taken to Waynesburg yesterday, following his death at the Soldiers' home at Erie. He was 75 years old and served in the Union army as a member of the Eighteenth Pennsylvania cavalry.

Godfrey King died at Youngstown, O., Sunday night from paralysis. He was born in Youngstown in 1825. Three children survive him. He was one of the original abolitionists and on two occasions came near being killed on account of his advanced ideas.

Mrs. Josephine Vance is dead at her late home in North Beaver township, Lawrence county, aged 90. She was one of the charter members of the Mahoningtown Presbyterian church and is survived by three children, among them the Rev. John Vance of Iowa.

William Henry Bowman, one of the best-known oil men in Washington county, is dead at his late home in Washington, aged 55. He was a native of Meadville, being a son of the late Rev. J. A. Bowman, a Cumberland Presbyterian clergyman. He had lived in Washington 20 years.

A Fall Opening.

We have accepted an invite to address the Bass Wood Literary society on the constitution and by-laws of a high-class distillery and what we will have to say will open the eyes of the invaders of personal liberty. There'll be something else opened, but we ain't sayin' nuthin' now.—Hardeman (Tenn.) Free Press.

No More Time for Swimming.

When Judge Parker arrived in New York on the yacht Sapphire we read that "he remained on board until after breakfast." Evidently the political situation is getting serious, to induce the judge to go without that morning plunge.—Chicago Record-Herald.

It is a Big Country.

Judge Parker will no doubt learn before the present campaign is over that an important part of the country lies west of the Hudson river.—Colorado Springs Gazette.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Customer—How do you sell brooms today?

Salesman—Same as any other day—by judicious advertising.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

"Well, suh, it's too good ter be true!" said Brother Williams.

"What is?" asked a member of his flock.

"'Possum time is come ag'in, en we ain't been lynched yit!"—Atlanta Constitution.

The farmer wears a happy grin,
The city man is rueful;
The former has a field of corn,
The latter has a shoeful.
—Buffalo Express.

Tess—I hope you help your mother all you can about the housework.

Jess—Oh, yes. Whenever she's busy at it I just keep out of her way.—Philadelphia Press.

Denham—It's a good thing for some people that this country never restricted immigration.

Benham—Why?

Denham—They'd have been rather short of ancestors.—Town Topics.

WESTINGHOUSE HAS RESIGNED

Pittsburgher Is Not Eligible to Be a Candidate for Presidential Elector.

CLUB MEN GO TO READING

George Westinghouse has resigned as a candidate for presidential elector in the Thirtieth congressional district. Mr. Westinghouse is ineligible to serve because he is a director in a national bank.

Several Republican candidates for election in Pennsylvania have had to resign because of their connection with national banking institutions. It was thought that the four men from this county were eligible, but yesterday it was found that Mr. Westinghouse would have to resign. There will be a meeting of the state committee in Philadelphia today to fill the vacancies. Maj. A. B. Barchfeld will probably be nominated to succeed Mr. Westinghouse.

Allegheny county will send 102 delegates to the Reading convention of the State League of Republican clubs. The delegation leaves tonight at 8:55 o'clock over the Pennsylvania railroad. Headquarters will be at the Mansion house and a caucus will be held there at 9 o'clock tomorrow morning. Arch. Mackrell is chairman and William Zeifell secretary of the delegation.

Thirty-Four Clubs Represented.

There will be 34 clubs represented, each organization being entitled to three delegates. So far the list of delegates includes the following:

Americus club, A. J. Edwards, Robert T. McElroy, William McKaig; Young Men's Republican Tariff club, W. R. Brown, Harry Diehl, William Herman; C. L. Magee Republican club, Alexander McKnight, Peter Grant, Clifford McCleary; William Flinn Republican club, Robert Ostermaier, Arch. Mackrell, Thomas G. McClure; Home Market club, R. H. Lindsay; John Dalzell club, Robert Clark; Twenty-eighth Ward Republican club, Frank Klumpf, John Lewis, John Patch; Francis L. Robbins Republican club, O. P. Chase, Robert Hamilton, E. W. Lindsay; P. C. Knox Republican club of Wilkinsburg, W. E. Eddinger, C. W. Keiser, H. H. McClaren; McKeesport Republican club, David Hardy, G. J. F. Falkenstein, James F. Woodward; Joseph Armstrong Republican club of the Twenty-ninth ward, M. F. Kraig, John Moschell, William Zeifell; Allegheny War Veterans' Republican association, W. T. Bradberry, Thomas G. Sample, James Lowrey; Alexander Hamilton club of Allegheny, John Francies, Thomas McIntosh, G. F. Schriver; Twenty-first Ward Republican association, J. L. Wright, John McCleland, W. G. Gish; E. A. Montoth Republican club, Andrew McGraw, James Clonan, Meyer Rosenthal; Lincoln Republican club of Coraopolis, W. T. Tredway, D. K. Clever, S. J. Campbell; Eighth Ward Republican club of Allegheny, George Lyon, George Schad John Oehmsler; James Riddle Republican club of the Twentieth ward, James Riddle; E. G. Husler Republican club of Carnegie, Andrew McMillan, W. J. Wright, David Johns; Sharpsburg Republican club, Peter Walzer, George H. Walters; Republican club of Pitcairn, C. V. Keefer; Italian U. S. Grant club of the Fifth ward, Messrs. Mancuro, Burnococe, Luisi; Eighth Ward Republican club, A. J. Levy, A. M. Collins, Louis Manshaft; Union Republican club of Braddock, N. T. Velar, Frank Ameraux, P. J. Holmes; Morris W. Mead Republican club, T. J. McDonough, Woods Norman; Fifth Ward Republican Club of Allegheny, H. A. Zigler, John Orr, J. H. Robinson.

Opening of the Campaign.

The other clubs that will send delegates are the First, Fifth, Sixth and Eighth ward clubs of McKeesport, I. A. Levy Republican club of Pittsburgh, Sixth Ward Republican club, Seventh Ward club and the Adolph Edlis Republican club.

When the delegates return from Reading they will start work on the opening meeting of the campaign in the county, to be held in Old City hall on the evening of September 30. The clubs of the county have been invited to take charge of this rally. The speakers will be Representative William P. Hepburn of Iowa, Attorney General Hampton L. Carson and Adjt.-Gen. Thomas J. Stewart.

Fred W. Edwards, who is devoting some time to setting up delegates for the nomination of register at the convention to be held next June, says that the Republicans in every part of the county are taking a lively interest in the coming election, and that a big vote will be polled.

Ready for Campaign to Open.

The Republican campaign will be opened in the Turtle Creek valley this evening with a mass meeting at the school hall under the auspices of the East McKeesport Roosevelt-Fairbanks Marching club, which was organized last Saturday. Among the orators will be George W. Foster of Carnegie, James Francis Burke, Frederick W. Edwards and Assistant Postmaster John F. Lowers of Braddock. The officers of the club are Louis Schmertz, president; William Lang, vice president; Andrew Lytle, secretary, and Thomas E. Sands, treasurer. The executive committee is composed of Richard Beswick, William Lang and Jesse Rodgers.

MARRIED

LOMBARD-SLOANE—By the Rev. George C. Houghton, in New York city, Thursday, September 15, 1904, Mr. B. M. LOMBARD of Portland, Ore., to Miss CAROLINE S. SLOANE of Bellevue, Pa.

DIED.

FULLERTON—On Sunday, September 18, 1904, at 9:30 a. m., JOHN TURBETT FULLERTON, aged 63 years.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, William W. Fullerton, 511 Walker street, Allegheny, on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family and members of Col. O. H. Rippey post, 231, G. A. R., are respectfully invited to attend.

FLEMING—On Sunday, September 18, 1904, at 8:30 a. m., WILLIAM FLEMING in his 85th year.

Funeral services at the family residence, 332 Meyran avenue this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

HANLON—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at 3:35 a. m., BELLE, daughter of James and the late Anna B. Hanlon.

Funeral services at the residence of her father, No. 826 Collins avenue, near Jackson street, on Wednesday, September 21, at 3 p. m. Interment private.

HOFFSTOT—On Friday, September 16, 1904, at St. John's hospital, Springfield, Ill., R. W. HOFFSTOT, in his 36th year.

Funeral from the home of his parents at New Waterford, O., on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

KNIERIEM—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at 2 a. m., at his residence, No. 1613 Beaver avenue, Allegheny, GEORGE B. KNIERIEM, husband of Nellie Walt, in his 29th year.

Funeral services at his late residence on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Burial later. [Buffalo (N. Y.) and Cumberland (Md.) papers please copy.]

KUCHENBECKER—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at 9 p. m., JOHN JULIUS KUCHENBECKER, aged 64 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 810 South Neville street, Oakland, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

MILLIGAN—On Monday, September 19, 1904, at 10 a. m., JAMES MILLIGAN, in his 92d year.

Funeral services at his late residence, No. 324 Penn avenue. Notice of time later.

SPENCER—At Knoxville, Tenn., on Saturday evening, September 17, 1904, ELEANOR SPENCER, only child of Herman and Elizabeth Wilson Spencer, aged 2 years and 8 months.

Funeral services at residence of Mrs. H. M. Wilson, East Brook, Lawrence county, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Train leaves Union station, Pittsburgh, at 8:45 a. m., eastern standard time.

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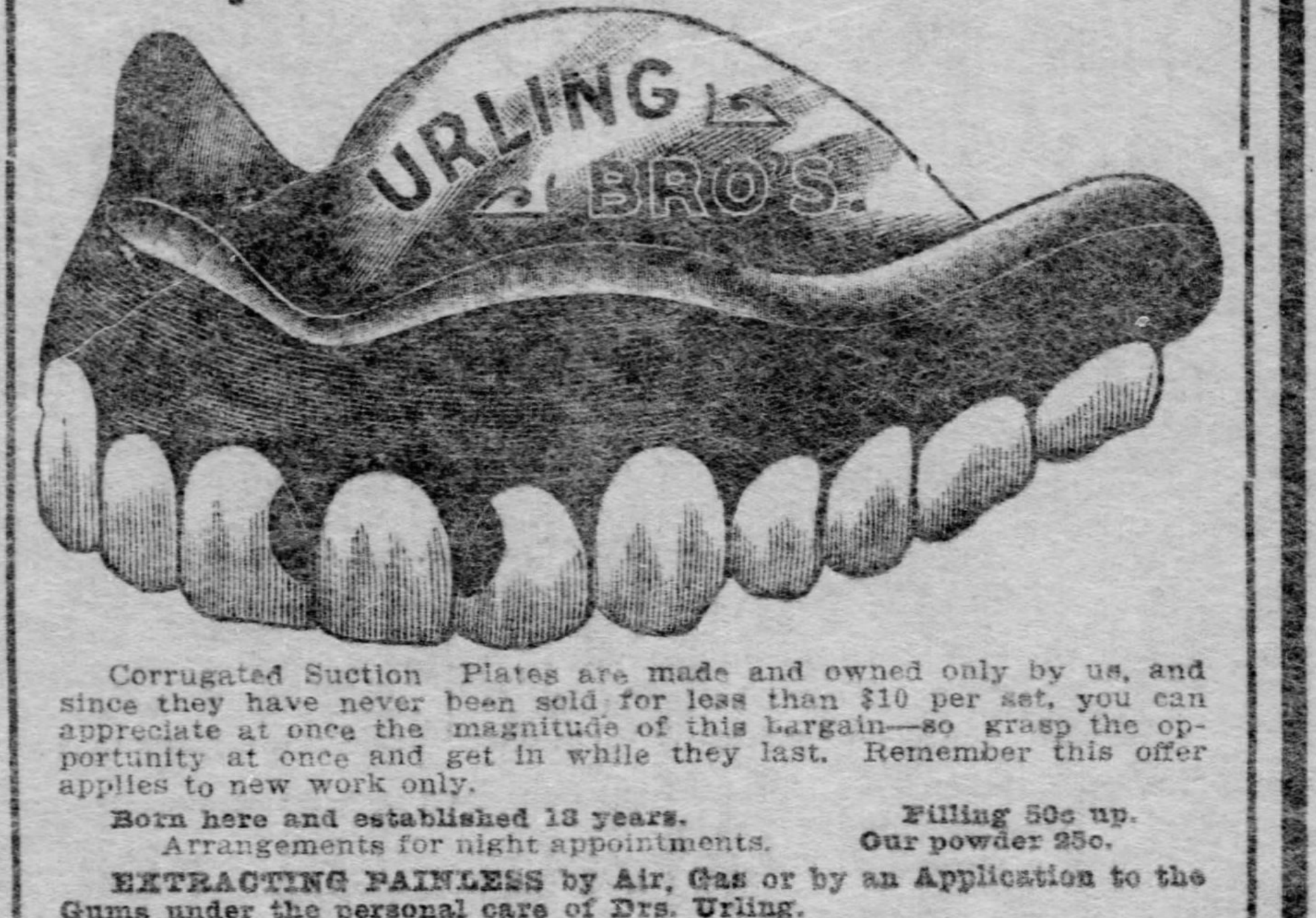

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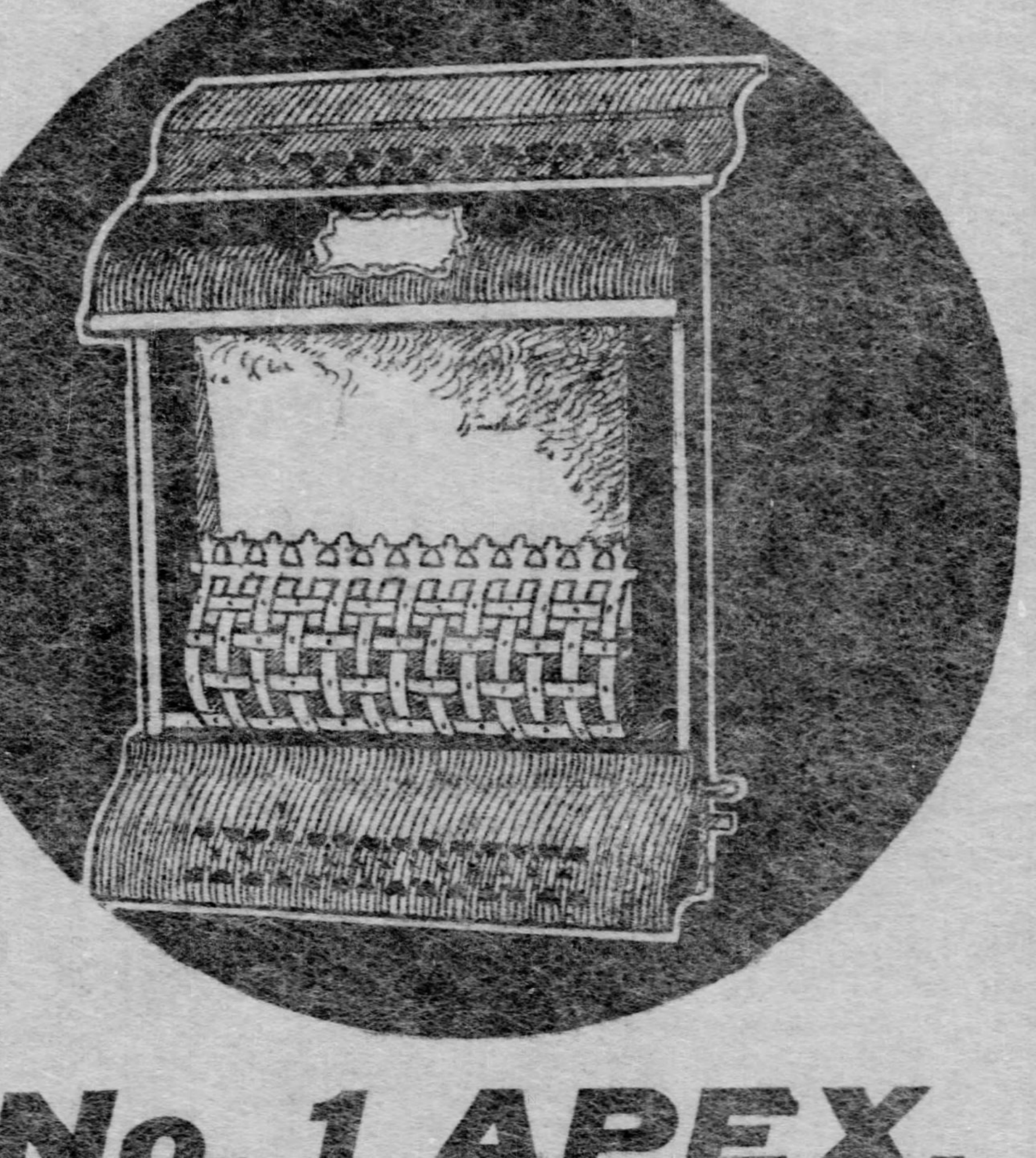

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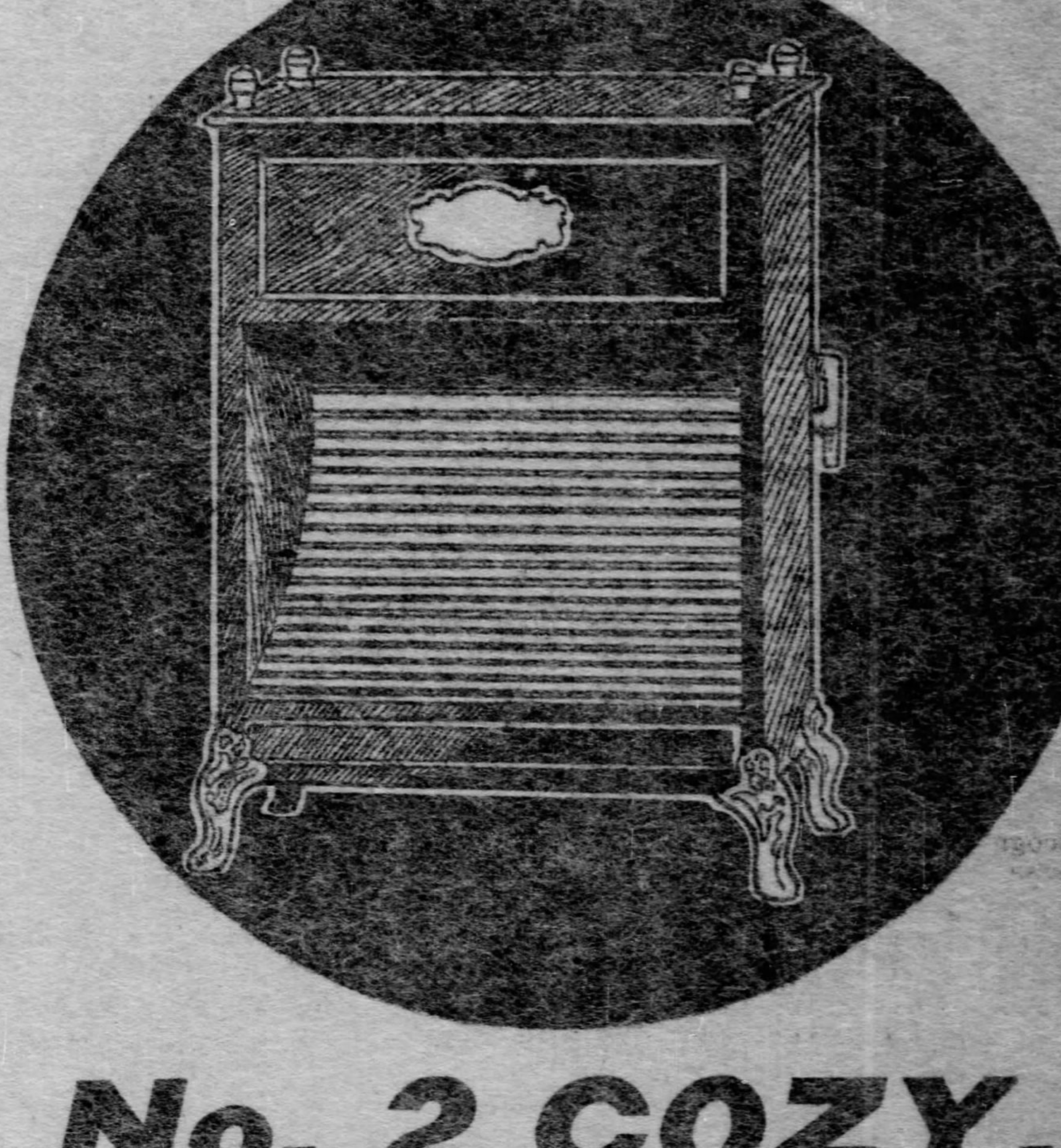

No. 2 COZY.

List of those who sent in the name APEX: Mrs. H. P. Taylor, Brownsville, Pa.; Mrs. Belle C. Davis, 1314 Clark st., Wilkinsburg; Maud Fuller, Rices Landing, Pa.

List of those who sent in the name COZY: Mrs. E. Quigley; No. 122 Evaline st., city; Olga Lersch, No. 1727 Verona ave., city; Mrs. A. J. Noll, 5616 Dauphin st., city; Miss F. Parker, No. 8 Mahon ave., city; Mrs. J. C. Shorthill, Glenshaw, Pa.; E. D. Howells, 7214 Hermitage st., city; Mrs. J. Snyder, 1313 East st., Allegheny; Mrs. A. J. King, 615 Margaretta st., city; Mrs. R. A. Thompson, Leechburg, Pa.; Mrs. A. Smith, Bellevue, Pa.; Mrs. W. D. Aumuck, Glenfield, Pa.; Mrs. I. McChane, Gastonville, Pa.; Mrs. H. W. Patterson, 322 Third ave., Homestead.

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3.00	Rope Portiere Curtains at	2.00 each	1.10	Heavy Wool-Faced Tapestry Carpet at	85c per yard
3.00	8-4 Tapestry Table Covers at	2.25 each	1.20	Heavy Wool-Faced Tapestry Carpet at	95c per yard
7.00	60-inch Tapestry Couch Covers at	6.00 each	1.25	Heavy Wool-Faced Velvet Carpet at	98c per yard
65c	Heavy Half Wool Ingrain Carpet at	49c per yard	1.60	Heavy Wilton Velvet Carpet at	1.35 per yard
90c	Heavy All-Wool Ingrain Carpet at	69c per yard	1.75	Best Body Brussels Carpet at	1.50 per yard
			1.75	Extra Heavy Axminster Carpet at	1.50 per yard

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MISS TAYLOR DID SOME STUDYING

Pittsburgh Instructress Made Comparisons of Educational Systems.

WHAT SHE SAYS OF THEM

Miss Louise G. Taylor arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday, after a summer tour through Europe and the British isles. Miss Taylor, who is a member of the faculty of the Chatham school of the East End, went abroad three months ago, accompanied by Madame Ritz of the Allegheny Preparatory school, and has spent the summer in observing and studying educational methods abroad. Madame Ritz, in the meantime, remained in Geneva, Switzerland, and in Paris for study.

Miss Taylor has come home with a very high appreciation of the American method of public school instruction. In discussing her trip and the observations she made, Miss Taylor, when seen at her home in Neville street, said: "England just now is in the midst of a heated agitation, brought about by a conflict between the church schools and the board schools, a condition due to the united church and state in conflict with the more liberal ideas of the people regarding educational methods. The board schools come nearer to our public school system than any other I saw, but the motive in education is wholly different from that in this country. In England the heads of school girls and boys are crammed with knowledge which they must have at the tongues' end when their school days are over. In America we believe in training the minds of the children by their studies, so that they may acquire knowledge after they are through their school days.

Miss Louise G. Taylor.

"The English people were much interested in the report of the Moseley commission, and especially in that portion of it which referred to Pittsburgh, whose public school system was rather perplexing to the English men.

"There is a solidity about the English educational system as contrasted with that of other European countries. The position of the teacher is one for life in England, and in Wales and when once elected she retains her position almost without change. The standard of work, however, is kept up by means of government inspectors, who visit the schools without previous notice. The English schools are not co-educational, the boys being taught in one building and the girls in another. The majority of the English boys are like the American school boys, and only in the church schools do they appear in uniform of any kind. A great contrast are the French school boys, who are little dandies, sporting their canes and carrying their books in small black leather bags.

"In the English and Welsh schools particularly, the order is excellent, but it is due more to compulsion and fear of the teachers and masters than to the respect with which the American children look upon their teachers. This attitude of the teachers was one of the greatest differences I saw in visiting the schools abroad."

Miss Taylor arrived in New York on Sunday morning, coming over on the Arabic, which a very stormy passage. There was an unusually large number of passengers, including many English people who were en route to St. Louis. Among them were Charles May, a well-known church organist in St. Colomba's in London, and Charles Lambert, also of London. Both are in the English service.

PITTSBURGH EAGLES GET HANDSOME PRIZE FLAG

Carried Off Highest Honors for Marching in Grand Aerie Parade at Baltimore.

Many members of the Pittsburgh Aerie of Eagles returned from Baltimore yesterday, after having spent a week attending the meeting of the Grand Aerie. The Pittsburghers brought with them a handsome silk embroidered flag, awarded for the best marching.

The test the Pittsburghers went through in order to win the flag was one that would have made many quit. The Pittsburgh boys showed their spirit by marching like soldiers through one of the heaviest rainstorms in the history of Baltimore. The reception accorded the Pittsburghers was in the nature of an ovation. The Aerie had 125 men in line and not one of them quit, but went through the entire parade, a distance of three miles, in the driving rain and at times in water shoe-top deep.

In presenting the flag at the grand ball, which marked the close of the Grand Aerie meeting, Mayor Timmons of Baltimore paid the Pittsburghers a neat compliment when he said that the judges in selecting the Pittsburgh Aerie as the winners of the honors showed their fine judgment, as their marching and soldierly bearing was more like that of a well-trained military organization.

Homestead Aerie, which was also largely represented in the parade, carried off a handsome silver loving cup for having the most unique uniform, which consisted of overalls and jumper, with cap to match, towels about their neck and each one carrying a dinner pail. The uniform was a very appropriate one and the Homesteaders were given a hearty welcome all along the route.

TEXTILE TRADE PAPERS SUPPORTING ROOSEVELT

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—William F. Crerand, a publisher of textile trade journals at No. 732 Broadway, has just completed a canvass of the trade publications to learn their attitude towards the national tickets. These publications are non-partisan and as a rule do not allow political discussions to appear in their columns. Mr. Crerand's canvass shows that of 803 of these publications, 768 are for Roosevelt and Fairbanks.

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MOORE IS GIVEN CHANCE TO QUIT

Councilman Frederick Says if Director Does Not Resign He Will Be Deposed.

INVESTIGATING GAMBLING

"I understand the city administration holds Director Moore responsible for my actions in councils and that if I do not go along with the administration Moore is liable to be dismissed. I have heard that Moore is to be given a chance to resign and that if he does not resign he will be deposed," said Select Councilman Louis H. Frederick last night.

Frederick is the member from the Twenty-seventh ward in which Director Moore resides and which he is supposed to control politically, and he was nominated and elected with the director's influence. Frederick has since become one of the leaders in the insurgent movement in select council against the administration and refuses to go back to the administration, even at the threat that unless he does his friend, the director, will be discharged.

"I was called into a conference in the mayor's office the day of the last meeting of select council and Mayor Hays, Director Bigelow and Moore talked to me. They demanded that I go along with the administration and I positively refused to do so. I told them that I would not be for any of their rotten measures. I said I would be for any measure that was for the interest of the city, but not for any of the bills which they have in councils.

"It is my opinion that the newspapers are telling the truth and that "Buck" Wallace is to be made director. I believe this is to be done to make the city a wide-open town. Moore is a good man and I do not believe he will stand for anything of this kind while he is director. They will have to get rid of him."

Director Moore called upon Mayor Hays yesterday morning to discuss statements in the newspapers to the effect that the mayor had told a councilman that Moore was soon to be discharged. The mayor denied that he had made any such statement to a councilman, although the councilman who asserted the mayor had told him so is a man of reputed integrity and veracity. This councilman declares that at the proper time he will make known his identity and give the entire conversation with the mayor. Mayor Hays, however, did not say yesterday that he would not remove Director Moore. What he did say was this: "I never told any one that I would remove Director Moore and appoint Alexander Wallace in his place."

"I have known that a certain element was after me," said Director Moore. "I suppose for doing my duty, but I shall continue to do it."

Director Moore says he has ordered an investigation of the charges that gambling concessions have been made by police officials in the downtown district while he was away on his vacation. This investigation, if it is prosecuted vigorously, is expected to yield a sensation which will make it impossible for Moore to remain in office. He has declared that he will not resign and that he will force all gambling houses to close if he has to resort to extreme measures.

Police Inspector Kennally, who is acting as superintendent while Wallace is on his vacation, has been ordered by Director Moore to make the investigation into gambling houses and report to the director. Kennally and Magistrate Stewart had a talk with the director Saturday afternoon and these two officials were in conference with Mayor Hays yesterday afternoon.

CHARGED WITH TRYING TO HANG HIS SON

MUNCIE, IND., Sept. 19.—On complaint of neighbors, William S. Leonard of Wheeling, a village north of here, has been arrested, charged with attempting to hang his 13-year-old son.

Esopus Flag at Half Mast.

ESOPUS, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The flag at Rosemount will be half-masted as a tribute to George Bedford, who has been flagman for the West Shore road here for eight years. Bedford died suddenly today.

He was an admirer of Judge Parker, who never went to the station without paying a visit to the flag station.

Surrounded by Arab Soldiers.

SALONICA, Sept. 19.—On Saturday 300 Arab soldiers pillaged the port of Salonica and the bazaar. Strong patrols are now guarding the streets. Sherik Pacha is surrounded at Prisrend and Suleiman Pacha with 16 battalions is proceeding to his relief.

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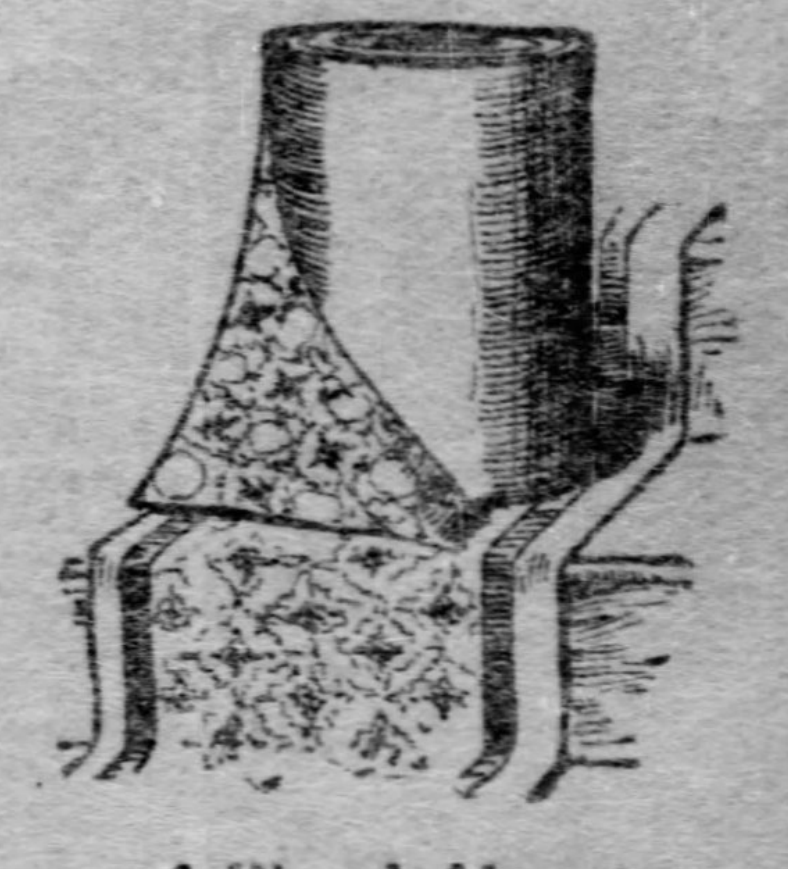
Axminster and Extra Velvet Carpet, $1.35

No matter what styles come and go, these elegant soft pile carpets are always popular. These are some $1.80 grades we will not duplicate again. The quantities of each are limited, but there is enough of each for any large room. Beautiful colors. Good patterns. With or without ⅝ borders. $1.21½ a yard cash or in 30 days.



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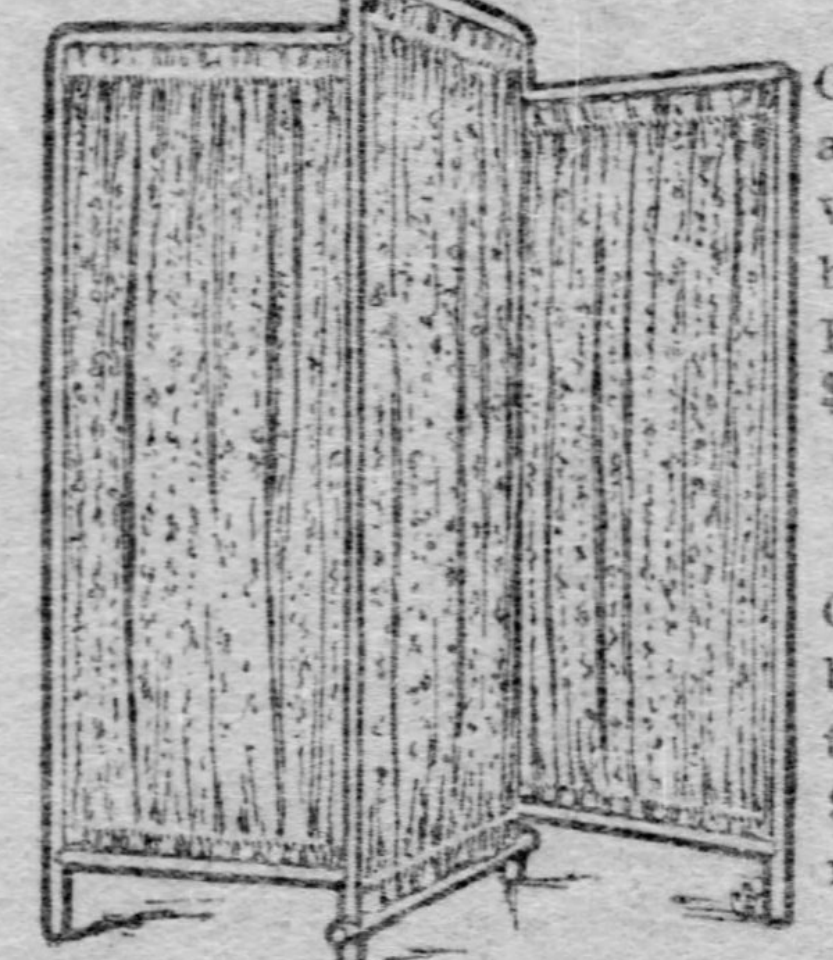

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Three-Section Screens. Solid green burlap filling. Golden oak frame. Was $7.50, now.......... **$5.50**
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Three-Section Screens. Hand-painted top panels showing pretty rural scenes. Plain burlap lower panels in various colors. Antwerp finish frame. Reduced from $12 to.......... **$8.00**
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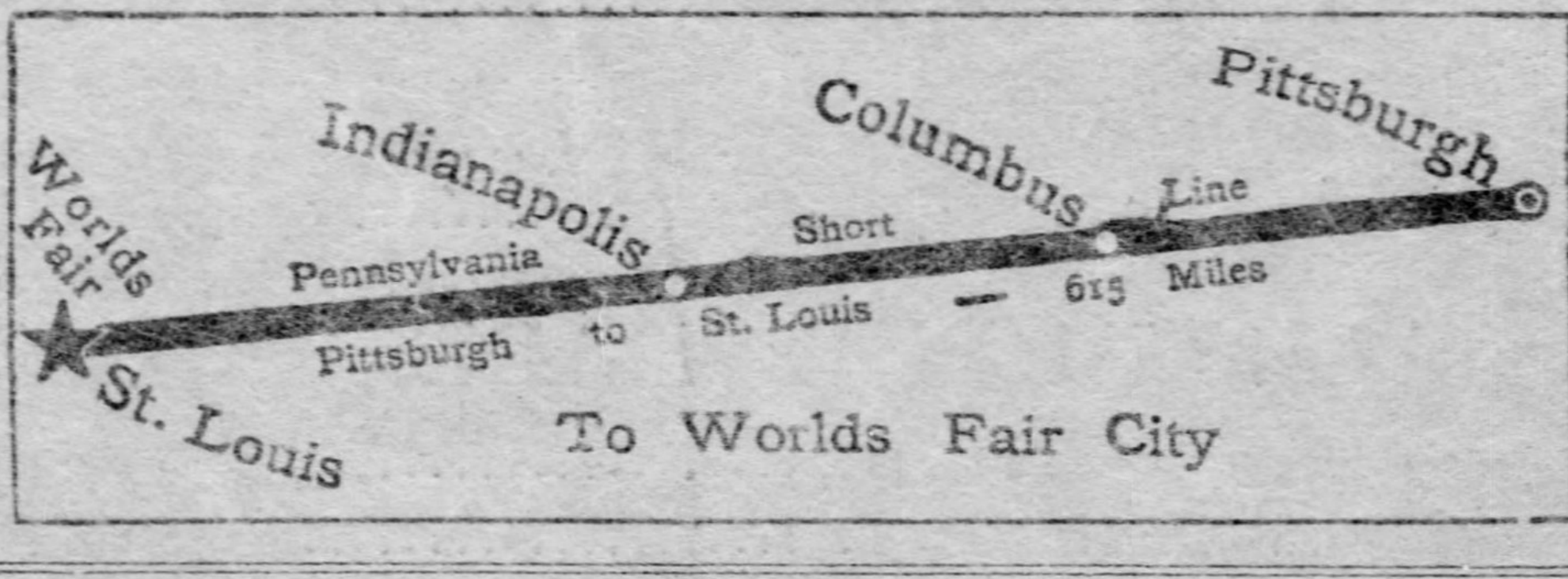

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Youngst'n & Cleve. Mail	* 8:30 am	* 5:10 pm
Buffalo and Erie Express	† 8:30 am	† 7:15 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12:50 pm	* 6:30 am
St. Louis Express	*12:50 pm	* 8:50 am
Buffalo and Erie Express	‡ 5:00 pm	* 9:45 pm
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	* 2:30 pm	*12:30 pm
Boston Special	† 5:00 pm	* 6:35 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6:15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6:15 pm	* 6:35 pm
Loupurex Limited	* 9:00 pm	* 3:20 pm
Buffalo and Cleveland Ex.	*10:30 pm	* 6:35 pm
Youngstown Accom	† 5:30 am	* 8:50 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 6:40 am	† 5:35 am
Beaver Falls Accom	† 9:00 am	† 9:30 am
West Pittsburgh Accom	‡12:10 pm	† 4:15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom	† 3:30 pm	†12:15 am
New Castle Express	† 4:20 pm	† 7:30 am
New Castle Express	† 8:05 am	† 1:10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 6:25 pm	† 6:30 am
Brownsville Accom	† 6:10 am	† 6:45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex.	* 8:00 am	* 8:00 am
McKeespt. & Brownsville	†11:50 am	†12:40 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3:30 pm	† 4:50 pm
Brownsville & §N. Haven	* 5:20 pm	* 5:45 pm

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TRAINS.	LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]
Fort Wayne and Chicago	[illegible]	[illegible]
Indianapolis, Louisville, St. Louis	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cleveland and Bellaire	[illegible]	[illegible]
Alliance and Cleveland	[illegible]	[illegible]
Cleveland and Chicago Ex.	[illegible]	[illegible]
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 6.30 am	† 5.20 pm
Erie, Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 6.30 am	†10.25 am
Ohio Valley Express	† 6.45 am	† 6.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 6.50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 7.30 am	† 4.55 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 7.30 am	‡ 6.55 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 7.45 am	†10.35 am
Jamestown and New Castle	† 7.45 am	† 1.20 pm
Jamestown and New Castle	† 7.45 am	* 8.25 am
The Forest City Special	* 8.00 am	* 8.40 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 5.40 pm
Expo Train, Ft. Wayne, St. Louis	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 8.20 am	* 6.30 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 8.30 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamest'n	†12.35 pm	‡ 5.50 pm
New Castle and Ashtabula	†12.35 pm	†10.35 am
The World's Fair Special	* 1.00 pm	* 2.15 pm
Columbus and Chicago	1.05 pm	* 2.00 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	† 1.25 pm	† 1.15 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.85 pm	† 1.00 pm
New Castle and Erie	† 4.30 pm	‡ 5.50 pm
Mercer and Oil City	† 4.30 pm	† 8.20 pm
Youngstown and Niles	* 4.30 pm	* 6.30 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	† 4.35 pm	† 8.40 am
The Cleveland Special	* 5.00 pm	*11.15 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	‡ 5.10 pm	‡ 9.10 am
The Chicago Special	* 6.30 pm	* 7.45 am
Columbus and Indianapolis	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
The St. Louis Limited	* 8.10 pm	* 5.55 am
Cincinnati, Indianapolis, Louisville	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Toledo and Detroit	* 8.20 pm	* 5.55 am
Beaver Falls and New Castle	†10.40 pm	† 5.50 pm
Alliance and Cleveland	*11.00 pm	* 5.45 am

Leave for Washington, Pa., †6.00 am, ‡7.30 am, †9.00 am, †9.45 am, †1.20 pm, †3.10 pm, †4.10 pm, †5.15 pm, ‡4.30 pm, †6.20 pm, ‡9.20 pm, †10.30 pm.

Leave for Wheeling, †6.45 am, *8.20 am, †11.50 am, ‡2.30 pm, *6.15 pm.

Leave for Steubenville, *5.40 am, †8.25 am, †4.25 pm, †10.55 pm, ‡11.35 am.

Leave for Dennison, *5.40 am, †2.20 pm.

Leave Allegheny for Salem and Alliance, †3.25 pm.

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Leave Station, Smithfield and Water Sts.

LINES EAST.	Depart.	Arrive.
Cumberland Accom.	* 6:30 am	* 9:25 pm
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant	† 6:30 am	†10:00 am
Wash., Balt. & N. York	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
Conn'v., Un'tn & Fairm't.	* 8:00 am	* 7:45 pm
West Newton Accom	† 9:15 am	† 8:00 am
Cumb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1:00 pm	* 2:45 pm
Conn., Un'tn, Morgant'n	† 1:35 pm	†10:00 am
Connels. & Mt. Pleasant	† 1:35 pm	† 5:05 pm
Connellsville Accom	* 4:00 pm	† 5:05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	† 5:00 pm	†12:50 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6:30 pm	* 9:00 am
West Newton Accom	† 6:40 pm	† 1:30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila	* 9:00 pm	* 7:15 am
LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.		
Columbus & Cincin. Exp.	‡12:05 am	....
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7:00 am	*10:35 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:30 am	* 7:45 am
St. Louis Limited	* 1:30 pm	*11:00 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4:35 pm	* 5:45 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel Ac.	* 5:35 pm	* 8:45 am
Col., Cin. & St. L. Exp.	* 8:50 pm	* 7:55 pm
LINES WEST VIA AKRON.		
Cleve., Akron & Youngst.	* 7:50 am	* 8:15 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4:30 pm	*12:15 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8:05 pm	* 7:40 am
(Leave P. & W. Station, Allegheny.)		
Butler	† 7:00 am	† 8:00 am
Butler, Foxburg	‡ 7:30 am	‡ 7:25 pm
Butler, Foxburg	† 8:15 am	† 5:10 pm
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 8:15 am	† 6:35 pm
Butler	†10:40 am	* 9:40 am
But'r, Conn. Lake & Erie	† 1:15 pm	† 1:00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1:15 pm	† 6:30 am
Butler, Clarion, Greenv.	† 3:00 pm	†10:25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5:30 pm	† 9:40 am
Butler	* 6:15 pm	* 5:10 pm
Ellw'd, Foxb'g, N. Castle	‡ 6:15 pm	‡ 8:40 am
Butler	*11:30 pm	* 7:25 pm

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The Pennsylvania Limited, daily .... 7:15 a. m.
New York Limited, daily .... 7:15 a. m.
Atlantic Express, daily .... 8:00 a. m.
Main Line Express, daily .... 8:00 a. m.
Day Express, daily .... 12:45 p. m.
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Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York .... 4:55 p. m.
New York Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York .... 7:10 p. m.
Philadelphia Express, daily .... 9:00 p. m.
New York Special, daily, for New York only .... 10:00 p. m.
Philadelphia Special, daily. Sleeping cars to Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington. No coaches .... 10:00 p. m.

For Buffalo and Niagara Falls, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. daily.

For Oil City, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30, 5:05 and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m., 5:05 and 11:00 p. m.

For Titusville and Corry, 6:15, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 11:00 p. m. For Titusville only, 1:30 p. m. week-days.

For DuBois, 6:15, 9:00 a. m., 1:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 9:00 a. m. and 5:05 p. m.

For Atlantic City (via Delaware River Bridge, all-rail route), 3:00 and 8:00 a. m. and 7:10 and 9:00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days, 10:00 p. m. daily with through sleeping car.

For Cape May, 10:00 p. m. daily. "The Pennsylvania Limited" and "New York Limited," 7:15 a. m. week-days.

For Connellsville and Uniontown, 5:15, 8:25 a. m., 12:30 and 5:05 p. m. week-days, 8:00 a. m. and 4:55 p. m. Sundays.

For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10:55 a. m. week-days and 4:30 p. m. daily. For Brownsville only, 8:20 a. m., 3:25, 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days; 7:00, 9:35 a. m. and 1:05, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m. Sundays. For West Brownsville, 6:05 a. m. and 1:05 p. m. week-days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6:05, 8:20, 10:55 a. m., 1:05, 3:25, 4:30 (5:20 to Monongahela City), 6:45 and 11:35 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00, 9:35 a. m., 1:05, 4:30, 5:00 and 9:40 p. m.

FROM ALLEGHENY.

For Butler, 6:50, 8:30, 10:25 a. m., 3:10 and 6:10 p. m. week-days. Sundays, 7:00 a. m., 9:30 p. m.

The Excelsior Baggage Express Company will call for and check Baggage from Hotels and Residences. Time cards and full information can be obtained at the Ticket Offices—No. 360 Fifth avenue, corner Fourth avenue and Try street, and Union Station.

W. W. ATTERBURY, Genl. Manager. J. R. WOOD, Pass. Traf. Mgr.
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TRAINS LEAVE WABASH STATION DAILY
Corner Liberty Ave. and Ferry St.
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Central Time.	Depart.	Arrive.
Toledo and St. Louis	6:30 a. m.	7:00 p. m.
St. Louis & Kans. City	1:00 p. m.	4:15 p. m.
Chicago & St. Louis	7:30 p. m.	6:30 a. m.

All trains between Pittsburgh and St. Louis Union Station stop at Wabash World's Fair Station, directly opposite main entrance to the Exposition.

IF YOUR BUSINESS IS NOT AS BRISK AS YOU WOULD WISH ADVERTISE IN THE GAZETTE.

CHANGES AT INSTITUTE CROWD OUT LECTURES

Enlargement of Carnegie's Great Gift Will Discontinue Lecture Courses This Year.

Considerable difficulty is threatened in the matter of finding a suitable place for the series of lectures to be given under the auspices of the Academy of Science and Arts. The lecture room of the Carnegie institute, where the botanical, photographic and pedagogical lectures were given last year is needed this year for the accommodation of the circulating department of the library. Over 50,000 books will have to be moved from the loan department wing to permit of that portion of the building being razed to make room for the institute enlargements. All this leaves the academy without an available room in the institute for its meetings.

Librarian E. H. Anderson is preparing for other changes in the big building. The marble stair case leading from the first floor to the reference room will probably be removed. The large reference room will be closed and this department will use the art galleries, the west room being used for a reference reading room. Technical reference books will be placed in the main art gallery. The pictures in the gallery have been stored in the attic and basement.

The University Extension lectures, which were also given in the lecture room last year, will be given at the Conservatory of Music in Dithridge street this season. No place has yet been selected for the lectures of the new Carnegie Technical school.

WANT TO MERGE THIEL.

Trustees Decide This the Best Way to End Trouble.

The board of trustees of Thiel college will ask the court for permission to merge the college with the seminary at Greensburg. It is believed this will end the long litigation which has grown up over the removal of the college from Greenville to Greensburg.

This decision was arrived at at a meeting held in the First Lutheran church yesterday. The college opened in Greensburg this year and proposes to give the four-year course formerly taught in Thiel. The matter has been placed in the hands of W. A. Griffith and J. Boyd Duff, who will make the motion in court for the merging of the two institutions.

Popular Telephones.

The mangement of the P. & A. Telephone Company in giving the patrons of the Exposition complimentary service has demonstrated the popularity and efficiency of this system.

This Interests You.

Read our special advertisement on page 2 of fine upright pianos at $190—greatest bargain of recent years. Mellor's, 319 and 321 Fifth avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

STOCKHOLDERS MAY OPPOSE BOND ISSUE

Minority Members of Republic Steel & Iron Co. Want to Know About Floating Debt.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The books for the common and preferred stocks of the Republic Iron and Steel Company closed today for the purpose of the annual meeting. They will be reopened October 20. At the annual meeting, to be held October 19, the stocksolders will be asked, it is expected, to approve the proposed bond issue of $10,000,000 so the company may fund its floating debt and secure some needed new capital for improvements and extensions.

Minority shareholders do not know officially how large the floating debt of the company is, although they seem inclined to credit the statement which places it at about $7,000,000. Unless the management officially details its plans, giving the sum of the floating debt, how it was incurred and for what spent, some of the shareholders will oppose the new bond issue.

The information they ask for will probably be conveyed through the delayed annual report, nearly ready to make public.

FRANK A. PARKER.

POLICE MAKE A SIEVE OUT OF WARD HEELER

NEW ORLEANS, LA., Sept. 19.—In the Seventh ward, where an exciting primary for delegates to the city convention was in progress today, Albert Rabasa, a ward worker for one of the factions, was put under arrest by Policeman William Anderson. Rabasa drew a razor and cut the policeman across the arm. Patrolman Adam Arnould went to Anderson's assistance. Rabasa slashed him across the abdomen. The police then fired a fusilade. When it was over, Rabasa was on the ground with 10 shots in his body.

Female Religious Order Expelled.

PARIS, Sept. 19.—The expulsion of female religious orders at Roubaix today caused violent demonstrations, during which a number of persons were injured. The police finally restored order.

Moose Hunting.

There is a region in Canada, located in Northern Ontario, where the Moose, "the monarch of the forest," is to be found in great numbers. This territory is known as "Temagami," and is reached from Buffalo, Chicago and Detroit by the Grand Trunk Railway System to North Bay. The open season in this region is from October 16th to November 15th, both days inclusive, and by applying to G. T. Bell, General Passenger and Ticket Agent, Grand Trunk Railway System, Montreal, all information concerning routes, guides and full particulars can be had.

SOFT COAL OPERATORS MAY ADVANCE PRICES

Effort Is Being Made to Establish a Steady Rate That Will Not Be Cut.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—A conference of soft coal operators was held this morning at No. 1 Broadway for the purpose of discussing ways and means to steady the price of this commodity. According to those familiar with the soft coal trade the conference was not a general one, but was participated in by operators from a part of the West Virginia fields.

The report that an attempt to raise soft coal $1 a ton was declared ridiculous in the coal trade today. What is attempting to be done is to get a steady rate that will not be cut under. Soft coal is now selling on a basis that is practically $1.15 a ton at the mines. It is selling in New York at low record prices.

It is the opinion of the coal trade in general that a long step will be taken if a steady rate of a few cents above the present figures can be got.

FRANK A. PARKER.

A NOSE FOR REVOLVERS.

Policeman Makes Record for Arresting Persons Charged With Concealed Weapons.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Policeman William A. Miller of the Elizabeth street station, who holds a record of 44 arrests of persons charged with carrying concealed weapons, caught three more unlicensed revolver carriers inside of an hour today.

"How do I do it?" said Miller. "Oh, I don't know, it just comes to me. "I can spot a man with a gun on him half a block away. I'll just walk up to him and say before he's got time to turn round: 'Got a permit for that revolver?' "Of course he ain't got a permit and just gapes or mumbles something, and I get hold of him and sure enough there is the gun."

VIRGINIA EX-MAYOR IS INDICTED FOR WIFE-MURDER

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., Sept. 19.—The grand jury of the Charlottesville corporation court today returned a true indictment against ex-Mayor J. Samuel McCue of this city, for the murder of his wife, Fannie M. McCue, on September 4.

The Honor of Your Presence

is especially desired at formal opening this Wednesday of new downtown Walk-Over Shoe Store, 227 Fifth avenue. Music and souvenirs, from 9 to 5. Finest and largest shoe store in America, with matchless stock for men and women. Lazarus Bros. & Co.

Armour's Extract of Beef

FOR that don't-care-for-a-bite feeling try a plate of soup or broth made of Armour's Extract—and eat like a hunter. Piquant, savory, appetizing.

Our cook book "Culinary Wrinkles" mailed free

Armour & Company Chicago

Window Cleaning by the porter or message boy is antiquated and unprofitable for good reasons. Let our agent explain to you why. Both 'phones. National Window & Office Cleaning Co., 307 Third Ave.

FALL OPENING HORNE-STEWART Co FALL OPENING

WITH the turning of the leaves the store has passed from Summer into Autumn and every department is crowded with new Fall goods. We feel that we have achieved a triumph greater than ever before in the goodness and completeness of our stock, and it is with a feeling of some little pride that we invite you to our general

Fall Opening, Tuesday, Sept. 20

AND ALL THIS WEEK

Men's and Boys' Clothing

Men who have been in the habit of paying high prices for made-to-measure clothes say they get the same satisfaction out of our clothes and save a third to a half on every suit. And it is true.

No finer cloth could be bought and no better tailoring could be obtained anywhere. The hang of a suit is largely in the collar and shoulders. Our suits are cut in correct styles and hand finished. Not only are collar and shoulders right, but every stitch is right.

Business suits, morning suits, evening suits, dinner suits, rain coats, top coats and overcoats—all the new weaves and shades for men, young men and boys.

Haberdashery

Fancy shirts, stiff bosoms, with cuffs attached or detached, as you like—Beautiful new patterns at $1.50 and $2.00.

White Shirts, 50c on up to $2.00.

Fancy Vests, in single or double-breasted, $2.50 to $5.

Fall Neckwear in every shape and form, 50c to $2. Many very handsome effects in Four-in-Hands or English Squares.

Fancy or pure white Linen Handkerchiefs, 12½c to $2 each. Stock includes everything that is worth while.

In Gloves Dent's and Perrin's lead—None others quite so desirable. New styles, $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00.

Celebrated Crown Suspenders—plain or fancy, 50c to $2. Guyot make, 50c.

Big assortment of Bath Robes and Steamer Rugs—Rugs, $6 to $16.50; Robes, $3 to $18.

Extra quality Flannelette Pajamas, new patterns, $1 to $2.50 a suit.

Flannelette Night Shirts, 50c to $1.50.

Men's Underwear

The celebrated Dr. Jaeger's Sanitary Wool Underwear in all weights, also the Dermophile underwear, guaranteed not to shrink—$2 to $4 a garment, according to weight.

Merino Underwear, all weights, $1 to $2 a garment.

Ribbed Balbriggan Underwear, $1.00 to $1.50.

Combination or Union Suits, light, medium and heavy wool, $3 to $4.50.

Heavy weight Balbriggan Union Suits, $1.50 and $2.25.

Peter Wright's Silk and Cashmere Underwear, $5 a garment.

Heavy Ribbed Silk Underwear, $8 a garment.

Men's Hosiery

Big assortment in plain and fancy at 25c.

Black Cashmere Socks, in all weights, natural wool, Dr. Jaeger's black and natural cashmere, the Dermophile and popular Musser ribbed socks, all at 50c a pair.

Then we have a line of fancy lisle Socks at 75c and the finer ones in silk and lisle on up.

Rugs

Oriental or domestic—it matters not in what direction your taste runs, there is something somewhere among this big opening display that will not only please you but will be within the limits of your purse.

We charge nothing for the sentiment surrounding oriental rugs, but price them according to their commercial worth.

Ribbons

A woman can't have too many ribbons — question is where to get good ribbons cheapest. And it's a question easily solved — Horne-Stewart Co. is the answer.

Let us tell you of a few very special values first.

Here is a 5-inch messaline ribbon in all shades—40c quality at 25c.

Beautiful gros grain ribbons for the new tab collars, 20c and 25c.

Pompadour ribbons for girdles, sashes and fancy bags—all shades and widths, at 25c to $1.10.

The new coq de roche shade, widths suitable for millinery purposes and girdles, 25c to 50c.

Complete line of satin taffeta ribbons, all widths, 4c to $1.00.

Sashes, bows and girdles made to order at the ribbon counter.

Handkerchiefs

From 5c to $20 is a big range in prices for handkerchiefs, yet that is just what we have to offer you—and the range is accomplished by very gradual ascent.

Plain Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c to 75c.

Irish Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, 12½c to 50c.

New line of Irish Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 12½c to $6.

Irish Lace Edge Handkerchiefs, 25c to $3.

Mourning Handkerchiefs, embroidered or plain, 12½c to $1.

Unlaundered French Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, 25c.

French Embroidered Initial Handkerchiefs, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.

The very fine French Hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs, 75c to $20.

Handkerchief centers, plain and embroidered, 12½c to 75c.

Autumn Laces

The Fall showing includes the vogueish net top effects, pompadour effects and other new and dainty patterns in white, cream and ecru at prices ranging from 15c a yard to $5, according to quality and width.

Every woman needs laces and every woman will be interested in this magnificent assortment.

For evening waists and gowns we have beautiful Point Gaze and exquisite Lierre All-overs with flouncings, band and galloons to match, as well as the Venise All-overs, Appliques and bands to match.

Then we have an endless assortment of dainty Val. laces, so popular for trimming handkerchiefs, lingerie, etc.

Toys, Toys, Toys

Complete assortment of imported toys have just arrived. This department is prepared to meet your every toy want, as well as the requirements of your pocket book.

Underwear

There is no sense in being annoyed by ill-fitting underwear, especially when perfect fitting garments may be had at the same price. We have extra large sizes here for very large women, and very small sizes for small women, as well as innumerable sizes in between, and perfect fit is the point we emphasize. Quality and price of course are never forgotten.

Ribbed Cotton Vests, light, medium and heavy, knee drawers to match, 50c.

Medium weight Ribbed Merino Vests, Drawers to match, 75c, 85c and $1.

Ribbed Cotton Corset Covers, long sleeves, 25c to 75c.

Silk and Wool Mixed Vests and Drawers, $1.50.

Cotton and Lisle Combination Suits, $1, $1.25 and $1.50.

Merino Combination Suits, $1.65.

Silk and Wool Mixed Combination Suits, $3.

Children's Combination Suits, 75c to $1.10.

Children's Ribbed Cotton Vests and Pants, 35c and 40c.

Children's Merino Shirts and Pants, 40c to 85c.

Boys' Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 50c to 90c.

Hosiery

Women tell us our Hosiery department is the most complete in the city—And so it is.

Wonderfully attractive line of black Cotton Hose, perfect dye, at 25c and 35c, 50c and 75c.

Extra large sizes for large women, in black cotton, at 25c, 35c and 50c.

Fleece-lined Hose, 25c and 35c. Extra large sizes in same quality, 35c and 50c.

Black Cashmere Hose, 50c, 65c, 75c and $1.

Black Ribbed Wool Hose, 50c and 75c.

Fancy Hose in lisle and silk at all prices.

Boys' Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, 15c and 25c.

Boys' Black Musser make, 25c to 40c.

Better grades Ribbed Cotton Hose, 35c to 75c.

Neckwear and Veils

A becoming veil adds 100 per cent to the smartness of a woman's appearance. Our large assortment of new effects enables every woman to secure the veil that best becomes her.

These new Ombrey Veils in blue, brown, green, gray and a few other shades are especially smart and Frenchy—$1.50. In neckwear we have an almost endless assortment of new stocks, new ruchings, turnover collars, etc., at prices—well, less than you would think.

Linens

We don't hesitate to say that we have here the greatest display of fine linens ever made in Pittsburgh at prices a little below any previous attempts.

Here are beautiful white Tablecloths with borders, sizes 2x2 yards to 2½x5 yards at $2 to $50.

Napkins to match from $2 to $35 a dozen.

Newest patterns in Japanese Openwork, scarfs, centerpieces and table covers, 6x6 inches at 25c up to the large 54-inch ones at $15. Our own importation. Price a good one-fourth lower than ever before offered.

Japanese Hand-embroidered Table Covers, Centerpieces and Dresser Scarfs, very latest effects, $2.50 to $16.50.

Hand-made Cluny Lace with linen centers, very latest patterns, $1.25 to $90. Sizes 12 inch to 90x90-inch.

Beautiful line of Towels of every description, 10c to $1.50 each.

Umbrellas

Men's and women's umbrellas in extra quality and every style of handle, $5 to $25.

Good Gloria Umbrellas, solid natural wood handles, $1.25 value, at 74c.

Splendid Taffeta Umbrellas with natural wood handles, $2.

Fall Millinery

"There is no doubt about it—Horne-Stewart Co. hats are stylish," we heard a woman remark the other day. And there is just one thing we wish to add to the remark. The prices are right.

Take, for instance, these smart hats, toques and turbans at $4 to $6, remove the price marks, and anyone will tell you they are worth all of $8 to $10.

We have good ready-to-wear hats as low as $2.50, and from that the prices advance by slow degrees to $25 and $35 for the inimitable Parisian creations.

Special attention has been given to children's hats and bonnets and to mourning millinery.

Curtains and Draperies

Curtains and draperies are the finishing touches in home decoration—if they are out of harmony the whole effect is lost.

The fall opening in this department reveals many new effects, as well as a large and carefully selected assortment of the staple goods.

Beautiful Nottingham curtains, in newest designs and best qualities, at $1.25 to $7.50 a pair.

Dainty ruffled Swiss curtains, large assortment, at 65c to $3.

Pretty net curtains, $1.50 to $6.

The rich Irish point, cluny and renaissance curtains are here in great variety, as well as many other artistic creations—all at prices a little lower than usually asked.

The draperies represent the best to be found anywhere, ranging in price from $2.50 to $25 and $30—An especially good showing at $8 to $10.

Several new pieces of 50-inch mercerized tapestry, in very striking designs, at $1.25 and $1.50.

But we can only hint at the richness and beauty of the goods here—You must see them to appreciate the big values.

Blankets and Comforts

Some very special offerings in this department that can't help but appeal strongly to the thrifty housekeeper.

Here are extra heavy crocheted bed spreads, full size, at $1.

Twelve-quarter white fringed spreads, with corners cut, for brass beds, $1.65.

Extra large spreads, $1.75.

Splendid quality satin dimity spread full twelve-quarter size, $2.95.

Large assortment of spreads for single or cot beds, hemmed or fringed, with cut corners, at about a third less than regular prices.

Big assortment of fall comforts suitable for these chilly nights, $1.25 to $2.50.

Full size comforts, filled with soft, fluffy cotton, $1.

Merritt's sterilized health wool comforts, tufted and covered, $4.50.

Merritt's health wool comforts, uncovered, $2.50 to $4.50.

Full line of down comforts, $6 to $10.

All-wool country blankets, plaids, $3.00.

All-wool country blankets, pink or blue borders, $3.50.

A few slightly soiled white blankets at greatly reduced prices.

Embroidery Lessons, Mondays and Saturdays, 2 to 5 P. M.—50c

English Eyelet Embroidery in stamped centers, 18 and 22-inch, 25c and 50c.

Canvas Pillow Tops, tinted, 50c.

Mount Mellick designs stamped on Damask, 22, 27 and 36-inch, 75c, $1 and $1.35.

Stamped Brown Linen Centers, tinted floral designs, 27 and 36-inch, at 75c and $1.25.

Sarah Hadley's new book on drawn work, containing full instructions in hand embroidery, 10c.

Stationery

All women like to use dainty stationery, which is right. Correct stationery denotes good taste, culture and refinement.

Our fall stock includes all that is correct.

We take orders for engraving cards, wedding invitations, announcements, correspondence paper, etc.

Complete line of Dinner Cards, Tally Cards, etc.

Prices perhaps a little lower than you have been in the habit of paying.

Women's Suits and Jackets

New things have been streaming in for a week and now here they are in all their freshness and beauty, ready for your critical inspection.

We will say this: It is a most comprehensive assortment representing the best there is in both quality and style, yet special emphasis has been laid on the moderate-priced garments.

Here are smart Walking Skirts, Tourist Coats, Rain Coats, Separate Jackets and full Tailored Suits, as well as the elaborate Evening Gowns—all creations of art and all marked at reasonable prices.

Women who appreciate correctness in dress will enjoy looking through this department.

We call attention to our Special $25.00 Suit for style and tailoring. It cannot be equaled at this price. Comes in blacks, blue and brown and fancy mixtures.

For a few days we have another Special Suit which we will sell for $19.50. Regular $25.00 Suit.

Women's Gloves

A woman's glove! Ever think what an important thing it is?

The fall styles and shades are all here in the very best makes, including Trefousse, Fisk, Clark & Flagg, Perrin's, etc.

The new Trefousse 2-button pique glace, with wide welt and 6 rows of embroidery is about as neat and dressy a glove as ever figured in romance—all shades and black at $2.25.

Same style and shades in Suede, $2.

2-clasp pique Suede, in all shades and black and white, $2.

3-clasp "Delorme" Glace, $2.

2-clasp "Shebourne" Pique Glace, $1.75.

3-clasp "Dorothy" Glace, $1.50.

1-clasp "La Savoie" Pique Glace, $1.

Fisk, Clark & Flagg 1-clasp Gloves, $2.

1-clasp Perrin's Cape English Tans, $1.50.

Big assortment of well-made perfect-fitting Gloves at $1.

Belts, Bags, Etc,

Smart little novelties at rather low prices—

White, black and colored Silk Belts, 50c to $12.

New Leather Belts, popular light shades, 50c to $5.

Leather Hand Bags, mounted and plain, 50c to $25.

Coin Purses, 25c to $1.50.

New Sterling Hat Pins, 25c to $2.50.

Special lot of Leather Hand Bags reduced: $4.50 ones at $2.50; $2.50 ones at $1.50.

Sheets and Pillow Cases

Cheaper nowadays to buy sheets ready made than to buy the muslin by the yard.

Here is a good quality muslin sheet made especially for us, at 65c.

Columbian mills 81x90 in. sheet—good quality muslin, 55c.

Single bed sheets, 54x90 in., 45c.

Well-made pillow cases, of good, heavy muslin, 15c.

Best quality muslin cases, 20c.

Bolster cases, splendid quality, 35c.

The New Embroideries

Neat hemstitched bands and edges for collars and cuffs—Large line of corset cover embroideries, dainty effects at little cost. Special lot of short lengths of embroidery edges and insertions marked half price at 35c to $1.50. Lengths average 6 yards.

The Silks

Women who appreciate richness and beauty will enjoy looking through this great stock of Silks and Dress Goods, including as it does all the staple fabrics as well as numerous new and exquisite weaves that have never before been equaled.

Black is the staple, and manufacturers always endeavor to excel in its production. This season we have a handsome imported silk called Black Elegante, which is especially desirable, having a high, lustrous finish. It is light in weight and very soft and clinging. Three grades at $1, $1.25 and $1.50.

Black Peau de Soie—full 36 in. wide and fully guaranteed. Regular $1.75 value at $1.25.

Black Taffeta 36 in. wide and every thread pure silk—fully guaranteed. Regular $1.25 value at 98c.

Dress Goods

In wool Dress Goods we have a stock that outshines all former ones. You will say so, too, when you see the richness and beauty of it.

Here are many checked effects in imitation of the finer materials correct for children's school dresses—per yard, 50c.

Handsome wool suitings for tailored suits or separate skirts, 75c.

Black goods are always in demand, always in style. Our stock includes all the newest and most desirable weaves, 50c to $5.

Then we have a complete assortment of Zibelines, novelty suitings and tailorings, ranging from 45 in. to 56 in. wide, at only $1.

For the finer afternoon and evening costumes we have the new lightweight fabrics in silk and wool, Crepe de Paris, Eolienne, Chiffon Cloth, etc.—also a complete assortment of white wool goods for tailored suits, including cheviot, serge, panama, broadcloth, mohair, etc.

Trimmings

Imported Persian Bands, $1.25 and $1.50.

White, black and colored Silk Embroideries, 50c to $3.

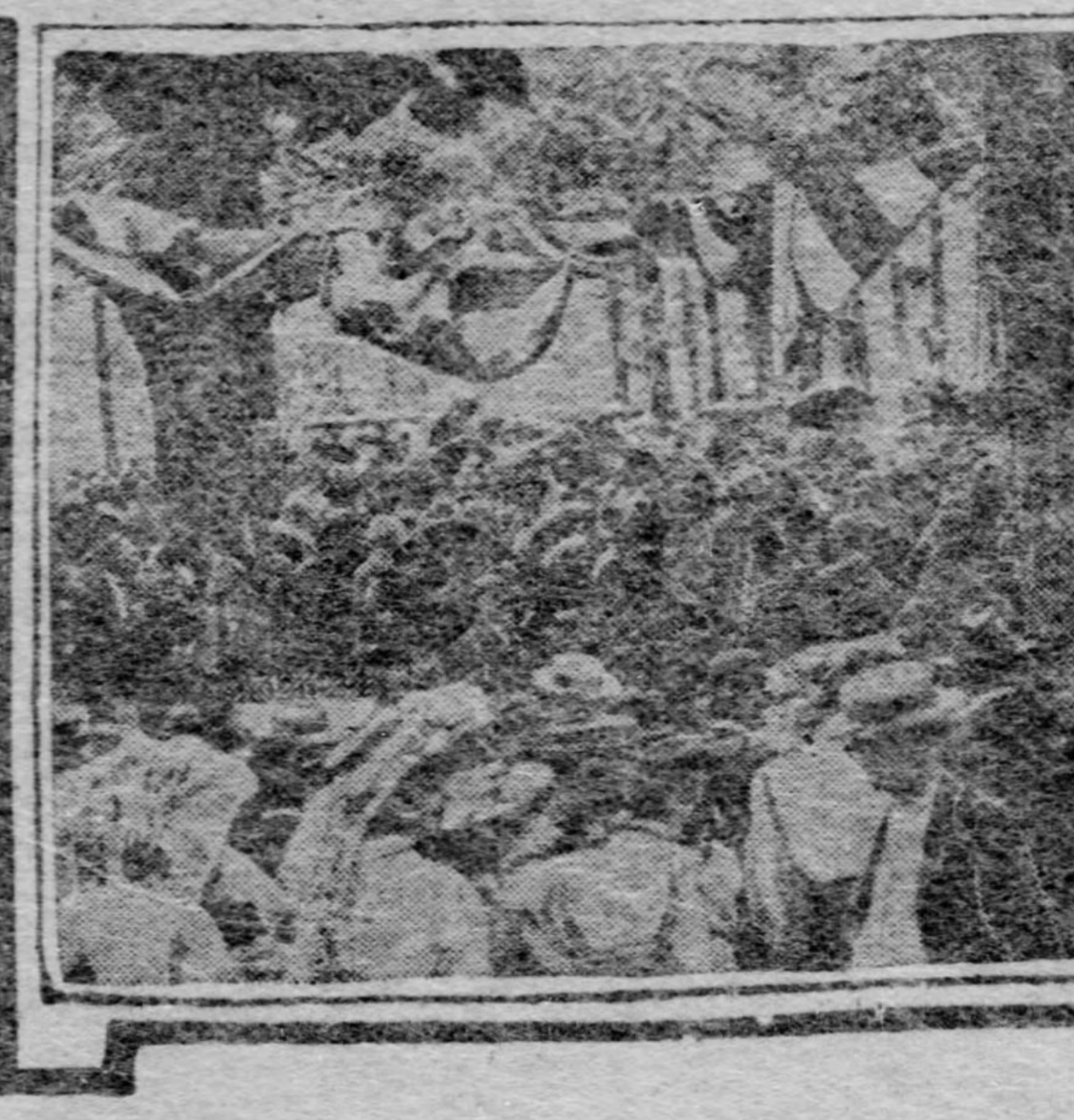
Black Spangle Flouncings, $1.50 to $4.50.

Spangle Net All-overs, $3 to $6 a yard.

White, black, colored and Persian effects for children's dresses, 5c to 75c a yard.

233-235 FIFTH AVENUE.

Scenes at Opening of West Virginia Republican Campaign.



Senator Fairbanks Delivering His Address at Parkersburg on Last Saturday.

ROOSEVELT WILL AVOID NEW YORK

The President Will Travel by Yacht from Oyster Bay to Jersey City.

GOES TO CAPITOL THURSDAY

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 19.

It is announced this afternoon that President Roosevelt will avoid New York city on his return this week from Oyster Bay to Washington. He has been accustomed to make the entire trip by rail, which necessitated a drive through the New York streets in transit from railroad to railroad. This time he will be conveyed to Jersey City in the naval yacht Sylph.

This change in the usual program attracts attention here as one of the increased precautions being taken to guard the travels of the president. Secret service men find this task increasingly difficult. The plan has been adopted of running presidential trains on a schedule varying an hour or so from that published as one safeguard. But no dodging of schedules could avoid the necessity of the drive through New York streets in a journey by rail from Oyster Bay to Washington.

Such partisanship as has been developed by the campaign's progression thus far is added to the other elements of danger, in the opinion of the president's guards. The effect on certain elements of New York's foreign population of picturing the president in the guise of a military despot, is considered an added factor of possible danger.

The president will return on Thursday. His time will be well occupied from the minute he leaves the train at the station. Already congressmen and politicians are coming here to report the progress which marks the campaign so far. Chairman Cortelyou and members of the national committee will run over from New York every week to talk things over.

Besides continuing his personal direction of the campaign, the president will begin work at once on his annual message to be presented to congress when it meets in December. Already he has a schedule of entertainments on his hands that entails numerous speeches, dinners and receptions. The archbishop of Canterbury arrives simultaneously with the president. He will be entertained at the White House with the first dinner of the year, and this will mark the opening of the official social season. The dinner will be an elaborate affair.

L. W. STRAYER.

ILL HEALTH CAUSED DOCTOR TO END LIFE

Rural Free Delivery Carrier Makes a Ghastly Find While Delivering Mail.

Andrew McIntyre, a rural mail carrier, found the body of William Doctor lying in the Hill road, three miles north of Tarentum, when he was covering his route yesterday morning. There was a bullet wound in Doctor's head and by his side a 38-caliber revolver.

McIntyre could not turn back for help, owing to the postal rules, but he galloped his horse to the next house and a party went back for the body. Doctor died at 4:45 yesterday afternoon. Doctor formerly lived with his brother, a glassworker, in Tarentum. Owing to ill health he had removed to the country and lived within 100 yards of where he was found. He had frequently threatened to kill himself if his health did not improve. Several years ago he fell from a building and injured his head.

James Edward Carr, aged 30, of 2910 Smallman street, fell off a load of hay at Twenty-sixth street and Spring alley at 6 o'clock last night and broke his neck. He was employed as a driver and had just left the freight yards with a load of baled hay.

Peter Soules, aged 40, a miner, was killed in the Nicola mines at New Haven station, Jefferson township, yesterday by slate crushing him.

An unknown man was killed on the Buffalo & Allegheny Valley railroad at the Thirty-second street crossing last night shortly after 8 o'clock. Nothing was found on him by which he could be identified.

John Malach was arrested last night at the Union station as he was about to leave town by Inspector Robert Gray on a criminal charge. It is alleged he is implicated in the case of Katie Sabine of 3009 Mulberry alley, who died some time ago, and will be held to await the action of the coroner.

STRIPPED THE VERNER CLUB.

Man Claims He Had Right to Take Chattels Like Pool Tables and Chairs.

When locked in No. 5 police station last night, Tony Stein of 4408 Woolslair alley confessed to having broken into the rooms of the Verner Athletic club in Mathilda street and to have taken one pool table, 100 chairs, five tables and three stoves. He stated that two wagons were used to carry the goods away, and that the equipment was sold later to Charles Daub of 4723 Butler street and George Wagner of 4809 Butler street, second-hand furniture dealers.

Stein declares he is the only remaining member of the club, and for that reason had a right to remove the goods. The arrest was made by Capt. Peter Walsh. Stein is charged with being a suspicious person.

Horseshoers Elect Delegates.

The Master Horseshoers' association, local No. 1, last night elected these delegates to the national convention to be held in Detroit on October 10-14: T. J. McCosker, J. J. Vetter and W. L. Neeley. Secretary E. I. Neudorfer, by virtue of his office, is also a delegate.

Suspected Man Fatally Wounded.

MT. PLEASANT, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Judy Kuhn was probably fatally wounded by Clark Shaw and son last night, who thought he was robbing their chicken coop.

Jr. O. U. A. M. to Convene.

TYRONE, PA., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The state convention of the Junior O. U. A. M. will convene here tomorrow.

NEWS NEARBY TOWNS AND COUNTRY

NOMINEE FOR CONGRESS IN 24TH DISTRICT

DR. MONTGOMERY LINVILLE.

This well-known physician of New Castle was named by the Democrats of his district in Pittsburgh on Saturday. He is at present with his wife in St. Louis, but his friends say he will accept.

ONE PASSENGER KILLED.

Four Persons Seriously Injured, Owing to Street Car Running Away on Steep Grade.

HOLLIDAYSBURG, Sept. 19.—Mrs. Ann Dolan, was instantly killed and four persons were seriously hurt today on a runaway trolley car. The injured are: Rev. W. S. Rose, his wife and three-year-old son and Miss Julia Dugan, a teacher in the Gaysport public school.

A car on the Altoona and Logan Valley line got beyond the control of the motorman, dashed down the steep grade in Allegheny street and was precipitated over the abutment of the Gaysport bridge into the Juniata river. The motorman, conductor and four passengers jumped and escaped injury. The injuries of the other four consist mainly of bruises and cuts from flying glass.

Election at Trafford City.

GREENSBURG, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Trafford City, the new town of the Westinghouse interests incorporated as a borough two weeks ago, has held its first election, a citizens ticket winning by a large majority. The following were elected: Council, J. C. Bair, J. S. Cornell, W. A. Miller, S. Smith Stewart, Gus Slesser, D. O. Todd and L. G. Blunt; school directors, F. H. Stauffer, A. E. Graham, A. B. Kerr, R. H. McCutcheon, L. Y. Woodmonsee and J. T. Murray; auditors, G. A. Butler, D. D. Berlin and Robert McCall.

One of Shaler Faction Arrested.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—As a result of a fight between the Shaler and McAdoo clans of Washington county at the West Alexander fair last Thursday, Marion Shaler was today placed under arrest. Shaler, who was badly injured by Allen McAdoo, was in bed. Other members of the family furnished bail. Shaler is president of the school board of Independence township and one of the most prominent citizens of the western part of the county. The officers are after Allen McAdoo.

Claims Alleged Robber Hypnotized Him.

EASTON, Sept. 19.—Three men accused of stealing thousands of dollars worth of jewelry and silverware from the residence of wealthy people in Northampton county were captured at Bellwood Park, N. J., last night, by two railroad detectives. They gave their names as Thomas King, Richard Mason and John Walsh of New York. King claimed he had been hypnotized by Mason.

Homeopathic Society Convenes Today.

EASTON, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The Homeopathic Medical society of Pennsylvania will open its fortieth session here tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. President Doolittle of the Lehigh Valley Medical society and President Warfield of Lafayette will make addresses of welcome. Dr. Theodore Sureth of Scranton will respond and Dr. D. C. Kline of Reading, president of the society, will deliver the annual address.

Alleged Murderer Captured.

MONONGAHELA, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—While asleep under a coal tipple at Hazel Kirk, George Kopko, accused of killing George Navok, was captured this morning by Chief of Police Leo Logan and brought to the lockup here. Kopko was waiting for his brother John to bring him clothes and money and intended to go back to Hungary.

May Not Build Shops at Lorain.

LORAIN, O., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—An official of the new Lake Erie & Pittsburgh railroad is authority for the statement that the company's plans may be changed and the shops built a few miles to the south of Lorain, on account of the exorbitant prices placed on the town frontage wanted by the company.

Killed in Quarrel Over Beer.

READING, Sept. 19.—James Gallagher of Centralia was shot and killed by one of a party of picnickers in a quarrel over beer.

IRVINE IN THE LEAD IN CLEARFIELD COUNTY

Quigley Defeats Chambers in Centre. Outcome of Contest for Successor to Patton in Doubt.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CLEARFIELD, Sept. 19.—The outcome of the contest for state senator to succeed the late Senator Patton is still in doubt. The latest returns give Col. E. A. Irvine a total of 67½ delegates, and William T. Swope 65½, with several districts to be heard from. Three districts will send uninstructed delegates to the convention tomorrow. Seventy-seven are necessary to a choice. Clinton county has instructed for Irvine.

BELLEFONTE, Sept. 19.—Complete returns of Saturday's Republican primaries show that Henry C. Quigley defeated Col. Edward R. Chambers for the Centre county indorsement for senator to succeed the late Senator Patton. Of 74 instructed delegates Chambers got but 12. It is not considered likely that Chambers will go into the convention.

SALOON KEEPER GOES ON KNEES BEFORE A PRIEST

SCRANTON, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Patrick Walsh got on his knees before the Rev. Father O'Donnell in police court this afternoon, begged the forgiveness of the priest, and then turning to Magistrate Moses admitted himself a perjurer. Walsh and his wife were on trial for selling liquor on Sunday, Father O'Donnell having raided the place last night when a score of men were in the place drinking. Walsh paid $100 fine for illegal selling. The Municipal league will ask the court to revoke Walsh's license.

Two New Trains Collide.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 19.—Cincinnati Hamilton & Dayton passenger trains Nos. 2 and 5, making their first trips today over the lines of the Terminal company, collided near Ironville. The engines were telescoped in such fashion that none of the cars left the track. Ten persons were hurt.

Independent Americans to Meet.

ALTOONA, Sept. 19.—The order of Independent Americans, being that body which separated from the Junior Order of American Mechanics a few years ago on the question of a per capital tax, will hold its first annual convention in this city tomorrow.

STATE AND NEIGHBORHOOD.

UNIONTOWN—Mike Konola, aged 21, jumped off a street car at Lemont and his neck was broken.

UNIONTOWN—Frank Haney, wanted for a year on forgery charges, was caught Sunday night at the home of Benjamin Seese.

GREENSBURG—Albert Steiner of Manor was injured in the Westmoreland shaft mines on Thursday and died from his injuries Sunday.

YOUNGSTOWN, O.—This week ground will be broken for a new butt weld tube mill by the Youngstown Iron Sheet and Tube Company. The mill will cost $200,000.

GREENSBURG—Friends of David Greenspan, the junk dealer of Pricedale who was murdered near Fells church, Rostraver township, last week, have offered a reward of $500 for the arrest and conviction of his assailants.

DEATH CALLS ELLIS FROM HIS MILLIONS

His Young Wife, Mrs. "Kid" McCoy's Friend, Inherits Bulk of Great Fortune.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Suffering from pneumonia contracted at a dinner which he gave to three prominent oarsmen who had won events in the Olympian games at St. Louis, Edward C. Ellis, 27 years old, multi-millionaire and a former famous college athlete, died at the Hotel Bellectaire, Seventy-seventh street and Broadway, today. Seated at his bedside when he died was his beautiful young wife, who was Miss Estelle Earle, the friend of Mrs. "Kid" McCoy, wife of the prize fighter. Society talked for months about this marriage.

Mrs. Ellis will inherit most of the estate of the young millionaire. The estate is estimated at from $3,000,000 to $5,000,000, that having been young Ellis' share for the sale of the Ellis Locomotive works of Schenectady, established by his grandfather. Ellis' mother and sister will inherit a part of the estate, but the bulk goes to Mrs. Ellis, who, before her marriage, was a poor girl.

DAYLIGHT BURGLARS' WORK.

Rob Wilkinsburg Houses While Posing as Solicitors for a Directory.

Two daring daylight robberies were perpetrated yesterday afternoon in Wilkinsburg at the residence of E. E. Hebrank, 528 North avenue and William Miller, 316 West street.

From Hebrank's house was taken jewelry to the value of $200. Miller's home escaped with the loss of a pair of gold eyeglasses.

Beginning in North avenue, at Wood street, about 1 o'clock, the thieves called at every home until reaching Hebrank's, taking particulars of the occupants, under pretense of working for a directory. At the house next door to Hebrank's one of the men engaged the attention of the family while the other went to the back of Hebrank's house and with a chair cushion found on the porch, silently broke the glass panels of the back door, through which he gained entrance.

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Today and Tomorrow—continuation of our

Opening exhibit

Of fashion's most original artistic types in

Fall and winter millinery

—Including the exclusive models conceived by the foremost foreign masters—and clever adaptations of their styles—together with the highly creditable creations of our own talented artists.

From every viewpoint this is the choicest exposition of women's headwear we have ever announced—and it is receiving the appreciation and enthusiastic indorsement of hundreds of critical judges of artistic and correct millinery fashions.

Particular attention is directed to our large line of $4.95, $5.95, $6.95 and $7.95 creations which will be found far superior to any millinery shown elsewhere at several dollars more.

The season's most correct fashions in

Women's tailored suits

WHEN we place orders we study styles by the score—adding certain features of one garment to that of another—modify here—elaborate there, sort of an interchange and collaboration of style ideas. By this method we get exactly what we want. And thus every garment is invested with an air of individuality.

$12 to $15 tailor-mades at 6.98

These are sample suits—which means garments of exceptional merit. They are made of fine suitings, cheviots, broadcloths and mixtures, in the newest Fall shades, also the staple blacks, blues and browns. The styles include the blouse coat, tourist coat, Norfolk and tight-fitting jacket effects, trimmed with fancy braids and buttons—the skirt with the wide flare, kilted or pleated. We only have 500 of them and they'll very likely all go today at 6.98.

$18 to $25 tailor-mades at 12.00

These are also sample suits, made in the most painstaking manner by the maker's most skilled operatives. Materials include novelty suitings, fancy mixtures, cheviots and tweeds, in the new browns, blue, black and all the other shades. The jackets are tight-fitting or tourist coat style, also Norfolk effect, with strapped seams, belted back or pleated effect. The skirts ankle length, pleated or kilted. They're certainly grand bargains at 12.00.

Elegant $30 tailor-mades. 19.50

Key your expectations up to a high pitch—you won't be disappointed in these suits. Materials include velvets, herringbone cheviots, novelty suitings, English mixtures, and broadcloths—the coats in tourist style, jaunty jacket effects, Norfolk and blouse styles, strapped or pleated, or handsomely trimmed with braids. The skirts are pleated and kilted.

Big skirt sale 1,000 new walking styles skirts on sale today at a third below actual value. A New York maker in need of ready cash let us have these skirts minus all profit. Included are cheviot, Scotch mixtures, panama cloth, broadcloth and zibelines—fashioned in the new 16 or 21-gore pleated effect, new kilted effect or plain strapped with kilted bottom; also perfectly plain tailored skirts. Here's the way they go:

$3 skirts at 1.95 **$6.50 skirts at 3.98** **$9 skirts at 5.00**

Men's to-measure clothing

OUR merchant tailoring department is in a better position this season than ever before to meet the sartorial requirements of the most critical dressers. No tailor anywhere can produce better or more artistic clothing than can the Kaufmann staff of craftsmen. Our tailoring organization is headed by that master-cutter, Mr. Barney Middendorf—who, until recently, was the chief cutter of Messrs. Langenheim Bros.

Men's suits and topcoats at 10.00

JUDGE our clothing stock—judge our clothing values by what you find in our $10 line. It's by far the biggest and best line of $10 clothing we've ever offered—and for about thirty years we've devoted much time and effort each season toward the assemblage of a most meritorious stock of $10 garments. The present showing is excellent and comprehensive, comprising—in suits about 28 styles—and in top coats about half that number. Every garment is worth every penny of $15. Nowhere will you find equal clothing for the price.

Note the details of the coat—the broad, shapely shoulders—the snug fitting collar—the beautifully hanging front—the hand-made buttonholes. If you want to be well dressed at moderate cost, come to Kaufmann's and get fitted out in one of our $10 suits or top coats.

Auto raincoats 15.00 to 25.00

The chauffeur who wants something swell and swagger—something that will impart individuality to his attire—will find in these new automobile raincoats just what he's looking for. The above illustration will give you an idea what nobby garments these automobile raincoats are. We show a splendid line—and all are made of absolutely rainproof materials, including light and dark shades of worsteds and cheviots—belted back, gusset sleeves, single or double breasted.

John Kendrick Bangs' Genial Idiot
Will Discuss "Dr. Harper's
School of Matrimony"
IN THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

The Pittsburgh Gazette.

PITTSBURGH, TUESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 20, 1904.—PAGES 9 TO 16.

Read "The American Adventures
of a Japanese Pilgrim," by
Yashinto Kurioky,
IN THE SUNDAY GAZETTE

THE PIRATES WILL HUSTLE FOR SECOND PLACE

PIRATES START ON FINAL TRIP

Pitchers Are in Condition and Manager Clarke Is Confident of Securing Third Place.

MANY DOUBLE HEADERS

NATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS.

Philadelphia .... 4—Boston 2
Other teams not scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	99	35	.739	St. Louis	65	67	.492
Chicago	80	52	.606	Brooklyn	49	85	.366
Pittsburgh	77	52	.597	Boston	48	88	.343
Cincinnati	73	59	.553	Philadelphia	42	93	.311

LEAGUE GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Brooklyn.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
Cincinnati at New York.
St. Louis at Boston.

Headed by President Dreyfuss and Manager Clarke, the members of the Pittsburgh team arrived in the city yesterday afternoon and departed last night for Brooklyn, where the team opens its final eastern series of the season. The players, with the exception of Hans Wagner, were reported in good shape and ready for some hard contests.

Manager Clarke was badly disappointed over the team's inability, owing to bad weather conditions, to play a game in St. Louis on Sunday, as he thought the boys were about due for a victory which would have given them second place in the pennant race. There is not a player on the team who is not anxious to have the team finish the season in the second position and all hands will bend their energies in that direction for the rest of the season. In this city there was considerable money bet that the Pirates would finish second or better and the boys want to save the cash for their admirers.

The final eastern trip, which starts in Brooklyn today, promises to be a lively one and the team will be called on to play double headers almost every day, starting with two games today at Brooklyn. The Pirates have postponed games with almost every one of the eastern teams and the desire is to quit the season with as clean a slate as possible. Manager Clarke says the strain will be a very severe one, but as his pitchers are in shape he has no doubt as to the final result.

Manager Clarke is anxious to have all the new players secured by the Pirates report this season, as he wants to try them all out and not wait until next season, as it is his intention to start in next year with a crew of regular players and not do any experimenting. It is more than likely that some of the new men will join the team in the east or just as soon as the season ends in the leagues in which they belong, and they will be tried out at once.

Quakers Beat Boston Again.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—Suthoff's pitching and good fielding today gave the locals another victory over Boston. Pettinger had poor control, sending seven men to base on balls. Attendance, 1,757. Score:

Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
O'Hara r.	0	1	1	0	0	Thomas m.	1	0	3	0	0
Barclay m.	0	2	2	1	0	Gleason 2.	1	1	1	0	0
Tenney 1.	1	1	11	1	0	McGee r.	0	2	2	0	0
Abb'chio s.	0	2	2	4	0	Lush 1.	1	2	9	0	0
Cooley l.	0	1	1	0	0	Titus l.	1	0	2	0	0
Deleh'ty 2.	0	2	1	2	0	Hulswitt s.	0	1	3	2	1
Moran 3.	0	1	2	1	0	Donohue 3.	0	1	0	3	0
Needh'm c.	1	0	4	2	0	Dooin c.	0	1	7	2	0
Pett'g'r p.	0	1	0	3	1	Suthoff p.	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	2	11	24	14	1	Totals	4	9	27	9	1

Boston .... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—2
Philadelphia .... 0 0 2 1 0 1 0 0 *—4

Earned runs—Boston, 1; Philadelphia, 1. Stolen bases, Barclay, Gleason. Two-base hits, Delehanty, McGee, Gleason, Lush. Struck out—By Suthoff, 5; by Pettinger, 1. First base on balls—Off Suthoff, 2; off Pettinger, 7. Passed ball—Dooin. Time—1:45. Umpires—Moran and Carpenter.

Wheeling Beats Waynesburg.

WAYNESBURG, PA., Sept. 19.—Waynesburg lost today's game to the Wheeling Central league team 7 to 4. Phillips held the visitors to three hits for five innings, but in the sixth a base on balls, two errors and six hits netted the Nail City boys seven runs. Yoedt was substituted and blanked them the rest of the game. Score:

W'sburg.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Wheeling.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
M. Mon'y 2.	0	1	3	2	0	Nolan m.	1	2	2	0	0
Demoss 3.	0	0	3	0	0	Wessel s.	1	1	2	4	1
Kennoy s.	0	0	1	4	1	McCombs 2.	1	1	1	3	1
Ganier m.	1	1	3	1	0	M'Con'ell p.	1	1	0	3	0
Wilhelm l.	1	1	0	0	0	Deiter 3.	1	2	2	0	0
Cowan r.	1	1	1	0	0	Kennedy l.	0	1	2	0	0
Patton 1.	0	0	9	1	1	Doyle r.	1	1	1	0	0
B. Mon'y c.	1	1	7	3	0	Shriver c.	1	3	4	1	0
Phillips p.	0	0	0	1	0	Robert'n 1.	0	3	13	0	0
Yoedt p.	0	0	0	2	0						
Totals	4	5	27	14	2	Totals	7	15	27	11	2

Waynesburg .... 0 1 0 0 3 0 0 0 0—4
Wheeling .... 0 0 0 0 0 7 0 0 0—7

Two-base hits—Ganier, B. Montgomery, Shriver, Robertson. Sacrifice hit—Kennedy. Stolen bases—Wessel, Doyle, Shriver. First base on balls—Nolan, Wessel. Struck out—By Phillips, 5; by Yoedt, 1; by McConnell, 2. Innings pitched—By Phillips, 5½; by Yoedt, 3½. Hits—Off Phillips, 9; off Yoedt, 6. Umpire—Purman.

Sharon Easy for Niles.

SHARON, PA., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Niles defeated Sharon today, 9 to 3. Kerr's home run was the only feature. The Sharon players have decided to play all games scheduled. Score:

Sharon.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Niles.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Fowler 2.	1	0	5	2	1	Sheehan 2.	1	2	2	4	0
Ryan 3.	1	2	1	1	1	Patterson 1.	1	1	8	0	1
Kerr l.	1	1	1	0	0	Nagle 3.	2	2	1	1	0
M'Aleese c.	0	0	2	5	0	Kruger s.	1	1	3	3	1
Gouzzie s.	0	0	4	4	2	Ortlieb c.	1	1	4	3	0
Doubles m.	0	1	1	1	0	Reid m.	0	2	0	0	0
Yohe 1.	0	0	10	2	0	Kommer l.	0	0	4	0	0
McNeil r.	0	0	3	0	0	Callihan r.	2	1	3	0	0
Howell p.	0	0	0	4	0	Thomas p.	1	1	2	0	0
Totals	3	4	27	19	4	Totals	9	11	27	11	2

Niles .... 0 0 0 3 1 1 1 2 1—9
Sharon .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0—3

Two-base hits—Sheehan, Kruger. Three-base hit—Thomas. Home run—Kerr. First base on balls—Off Thomas 4, off Howell 2. Struck out—By Howell 1, by Thomas 2. Sacrifice hits—Thomas 2. Hit by pitched ball—McNeil, Fowler. Time—1:35. Umpire—O'Toole.

Thomas Blanks Zanesville.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Thomas pitched gilt-edged ball for the Ohio Works today and Zanesville was shut out, 3 to 0. Austin and Starr did some clever fielding for the locals. Score:

Ohio W.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Zanesville.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Blount r.	1	1	1	0	0	Cooper m.	0	1	1	0	0
Malon'y m.	0	1	3	0	0	Miller l.	0	0	1	0	0
Starr s.	1	0	3	3	0	Drumm 2.	0	1	2	3	0
Phyle 3.	0	0	3	2	1	Wrattan 3.	0	0	0	2	0
Austin 2.	0	0	0	4	0	Huling 1.	0	0	14	0	0
Keller 1.	0	0	11	0	0	Ditridge s.	0	1	2	5	1
Cassady l.	0	0	1	0	0	Quinn r.	0	0	0	0	0
Hanford c.	1	1	5	1	0	Carson c.	0	0	4	0	0
Thomas p.	0	0	0	3	0	Turner p.	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	3	3	27	13	1	Totals	0	4	24	12	1

Ohio Works .... 0 0 0 2 1 0 0 0 *—3
Zanesville .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Two-base hit—Ditridge. Stolen bases—Blount, Maloney, Miller 2, Drumm. Sacrifice hit—Hanford. First first on balls—Off Thomas 3, off Turner 1. Hit by pitched ball—Phyle, Miller. Struck out—By Thomas 2, by Turner 2. Wild pitch—Turner. Time—1:30. Umpire—Evans.

TRI-STATE LEAGUE.

At Harrisburg—Insulting remarks to Umpire McNamara caused Catcher News and Center Fielder Campbell of the Wilmington team to be benched in today's game. After Campbell's benching in the seventh inning the Wilmington manager secured a boy off the bleachers to fill in, but he was not uniformed and the umpire gave the game to Harrisburg 9 to 0. The score in the seventh inning was, Wilmington 2, Harrisburg 5.

At Lebanon—

		R.	H.	E.
Lebanon	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	1	5	4
York	0 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 0	3	7	1

Batteries—Manning and Seagreaves; Bowman and Smith. Umpire—Drennan.

2, St. Louis, P. & L. E. R. R.

ARTHUR POE MAY SUCCEED JAMES AT HIGH SCHOOL

Shadyside Faculty Sanctions Lawrenceville Game—W. U. P. Gets Men.

Roscoe (Shorty) James yesterday informed the athletic authorities of the Pittsburgh High school that he will be unable to coach the football team this fall. An effort will be made by High school to engage Arthur Poe, the famous Princeton end, or some other well known player. James is a Cornell quarterback and coached last year's winning team.

The first squad of High school football candidates were at Friendship park yesterday afternoon. The old men in uniform were W. John, tackle; Worrell, half; G. Orr, tackle; Dowling, tackle; Blaias, half; Spuhler, end; Wood, guard; Dave Johns, sub quarter; McCormick, sub end; Peffer, sub end; Carpenter, sub end. Kelly, a quarterback from the East End, reported, as did Barchfeld, a 200-pound guard from the South Side High school. "Midget" Spuhler will probably return to High school. In that event he will again captain the hockey team.

The Shadyside academy team was yesterday given permission to play the Lawrenceville prep. eleven at Lawrenceville, N. J., Oct. 19. The football coaches conferred with the faculty and permission was granted for the game. The coaches, however, make the game a certainty on condition that the players promise to observe strict training rules, at least prior to the game. A violation of the rule will mean a calling off of the trip.

"Fat" McCoy, the 195-pound guard, formerly of East Liberty academy, reported yesterday and took part in the practice. Seibert, Dick Mueller and Williams composed the back field. Tom Uptegraf was tried at tackle.

Marshall, a half back from Gloucester, Mass., and Walter Ritchey, last year quarter back on the Illinois university eleven, reported to Coach Mosse of W. U. P. and engaged in the practice at Exposition park. Marshall weighs 176 stripped. Both are strong players. After practicing running back the ball on the kick-off Coach Mosse had the players line up for scrimmage practice. The men lined up as follows: Perry and Cree, left end; Waddell, left tackle; Wilson, Zeig, left guards; McKain, center; Brown and Edgar, right guards; Leidenroth, right tackle; Miller and Mason, right end; Rugh, quarter; Thompson, left half; Schmidt and Marks, right half; Mehl, full back.

WON FIRST CUPS.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Rodgers Showed Their Skill on the Links.

At the Brighton Country club yesterday Judge Elliott Rodgers and Mrs. Rodgers, by defeating Dr. H. S. Nicholson and Miss Eva Stoner in the finals, won the first cups in the mixed foursomes tournament which was begun last week. Their victory was by 5 up and 4 to play. Dr. Nicholson and Miss Stoner get the second cups.

For the consolation cups G. R. Stewart and Miss N. J. Stewart defeated yesterday M. W. Stoner and Miss Jeannette Grove by 5 up and 4 to play. Mr. and Miss Stewart will meet today Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnston for the cups.

On Thursday next at the club a women's tournament will be begun and the qualifying round will be played. Sixteen will qualify and continue at match play rounds the remainder of the week.

TO FIGHT IN ENGLAND.

Frankie Neil Is Matched With Best Boy on That Side.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Frankie Neil, the bantamweight champion, has accepted the offer of the National Sporting club of London to fight Joe Bowker, the bantamweight champion of England, for a purse of $1,250, the winner to receive $1,000.

The boys are to fight 20 rounds with five-ounce gloves on October 10 for the bantamweight championship of the world. Neil and his father will sail for England on Wednesday, which will give them at least two weeks in which to train.

Bowker is considered one of the best youngsters who ever donned a mitt in England, but good judges, who have seen both boys fight, predict that Neil will win easily, as he can outpunch the Englishman and is a much faster fighter.

ST. LOUIS IN LEAD.

Eleven Mound City Golfers Qualify in Opening Golf Round.

GLEN ECHO COUNTRY CLUB, ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—St. Louis golfers today captured 11 places in the 36-hole qualifying round of the Olympian golf championship, two former world's fair city golfers, Ralph McKittrick and Stuart Stickney of the Country club, tying at 163 for the gold medal honors. Chicago players, headed by former western champion Walter E. Egan of Exmoor, finished 10 strong in the charmed circle of 32 eligible for match play in the first round tomorrow.

There were no upsets in the trying qualifying round, all of the men generally picked for match play honors getting in.

Shevlin to Play Fullback.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—It has been practically decided by the Yale football coaches that Thomas L. Shevlin, end rush for two years, will play fullback on the Yale football eleven this fall. He joined the squad today. About 25 candidates are now at work on Yale field. Shevlin weighs about 190 pounds and is quick and powerful. The change is in line with Yale's policy of having a heavy back field.

First W. & J. Practice Game.

WASHINGTON, PA., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The W. & J. varsity and scrub football teams had the first lineup of the season this afternoon. The practice game lasted but seven minutes, but the varsity scored twice on the second team. The lack of heavy material was shown here, the scrub line being practically as heavy as the varsity. Head Coach Seaman is asking for heavy material. A practice game supplemented by other hard work will constitute the playing each day now until the opening of the season.

Rayen High School Schedule.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The Rayen High school schedule is as follows: October 1, Ravenna High school at Ravenna; October 8, University school at Cleveland; October 15, Shadyside academy at Youngstown; October 22, Akron High school at Youngstown; October 29, Oberlin academy at Oberlin; November 5, Westminster Reserves at Youngstown; November 12, Ravenna High school at Youngstown; November 19, Kiskiminetas at Saltsburg, no definite; November 24, Wooster High school at Youngstown.

Both Fighters Are Ready.

Tonight at South Sharon Jack McClelland and Jimmy Dunn will meet to decide the some time. McClelland has worked hard for this bout and is down in weight. Dunn is already in South Sharon, where he went yesterday with his trainers and his wife who is the most interested one in the fight. They are all positive that Jimmy will be returned the winner.

Chicago Defeated Syracuse.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Before a crowd numbering 3,000 persons the Chicago Nationals defeated the Syracuse champions of the New York State league 6 to 1 today.

FOOTBALL NOTES.

The Waltons challenge all 70-pound teams. Call 60 Court and ask for Jones.

Central A. C. of Braddock defy 50-pound teams. A. O'Rourke, Ellsmere street, Swissvale.

The Peoria Tigers defy all 70 to 75-pound teams. Address C. R. de Haan, 3521 Penn avenue, city.

Manager Kammerer of the Lowell second would like to hear from 70 and 75-pound teams. Address 154 Mawer street.

The members and candidates of the Emerald A. C. are requested to report at South Twenty-eighth street this evening at 7:30 sharp.

The Westinghouse A. C. challenges 100 to 110-pound teams having grounds. Address O. G. Bennett, P. O. box 507, Linden avenue, East Pittsburgh.

The Prowler team would also like to hear from a good backfield man. Players are to report for practice Thursday night as usual. For games address Wm. N. Robson, 920 Federal street, Allegheny.

Formal Opening Wednesday.

You are most cordially invited to attend formal opening of new downtown Walk-Over Shoe Store, which occurs Wednesday of this week, and which will bring to your attention the finest stock of men's and women's shoes it has ever been the pleasure of any Pittsburgh store to show. Lazarus Bros. & Co., 227 Fifth avenue.

PLANK'S CURVES FOOLED BOSTON

Collins' Men Could Only Secure Three Hits, While Athletics Bumped Tannehill.

MURPHY MAKES TIMELY HIT

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

New York .... 4—Washington 3
Philadelphia .... 6—Boston 1
Chicago .... 3—Detroit 0
Cleveland .... 4-2—St. Louis 5-1

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	81	50	.618	Cleveland	70	61	.534
Boston	81	53	.604	St. Louis	57	75	.432
Philadelphia	73	54	.575	Detroit	56	77	.421
Chicago	78	58	.574	Washington	32	100	.242

AMERICAN GAMES TODAY.

Philadelphia at Boston.
New York at Washington.
Detroit at Chicago.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Failure to hit Plank and poor playing by Boston gave Philadelphia today's game, 6 to 1. In the eighth, with the bases full, Murphy hit to left field for a home run. Plank allowed but three hits and struck out eight men. Score:

Philadel.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Boston.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hartsel m.	2	2	3	0	0	Selbach l.	1	0	2	0	0
Bruce l.	1	2	2	0	0	Parent s.	0	1	4	3	2
L. Cross 3.	1	2	1	3	0	Stahl m.	0	0	2	0	0
Seybold r.	1	0	1	1	0	Collins 3.	0	0	0	1	0
Murphy 2.	1	1	2	1	0	Freeman r.	0	0	3	0	0
Noonan c.	0	1	9	0	0	Lachance 1.	0	0	9	1	0
M. Cross s.	0	1	1	1	0	Ferris 2.	0	0	2	6	1
Schreck 1.	0	0	7	0	0	Criger c.	0	1	5	0	0
Plank p.	0	0	1	1	0	Tannehill p.	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	6	9	27	7	0	Totals	1	3	27	15	3

Philadelphia .... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 5 0—6
Boston .... 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Two-base hits—Parent, Noonan. Sacrifice hit—Bruce. Home run—Murphy. Stolen base—Parent. First base on balls—Off Plank 2. Hit by pitched ball—Seybold. Struck out—By Plank 8, by Tannehill 4. Time—1:37. Umpire—Sheridan. Attendance—7,898.

St. Louis 5-1—Cleveland 4-2.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—St. Louis and Cleveland split even. St. Louis took the first game after 15 innings, when two men had been retired. Umpire King called the second game at the end of the sixth inning on account of darkness, when the score was 2 to 1 in favor of the visitors. Attendance, 1,402. Scores:

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett l.	1	3	1	0	0	Lush l.	2	2	4	0	0
Held'ck m.	2	3	3	0	0	Bradley 3.	1	2	2	6	0
Wallace s.	0	3	4	6	0	Flick 2.	0	0	3	4	0
Hynes r.	0	2	4	0	0	Rossman r.	0	1	1	0	0
Jones 1.	0	2	20	3	0	Carr 1.	1	2	15	3	0
Padden 2.	1	2	4	4	0	Turner s.	0	0	3	6	0
Moran 3.	0	0	0	4	0	Bay m.	0	2	5	1	0
Sugden c.	1	4	6	0	0	Bemis c.	0	1	4	1	1
Sudhoff p.	0	1	1	9	1	Bernhard p.	0	0	1	8	2
						Joss 1.	0	0	6	0	0
Totals	5	15	45	27	1	Totals	4	10	*44	29	3

*Two out when winning run was scored.

St. Louis .... 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—5
Cleveland .... 1 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—4

Two-base hits—Car, Hynes. Sacrifice hits—Wallace 2, Bradley 2, Flick, Sudhoff 2, Turner. Double play—Bay and Bradley. Bases on balls—Off Sudhoff 2, off Bernhard 3. Struck out—By Sudhoff 4, by Bernhard 5. Time—2:08. Umpires—King and O'Loughlin.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Burkett l.	0	1	4	0	0	Lush l.	1	2	0	0	0
Held'ck m.	1	2	1	0	0	Bradley 3.	0	2	0	2	0
Wallace s.	0	0	0	1	0	Flick 2.	0	0	0	3	0
Hynes r.	0	1	1	0	0	Rossman r.	0	0	2	0	0
Jones 1.	0	0	5	1	0	Bemis 1.	0	0	9	2	0
Padden 2.	0	0	2	1	0	Turner s.	1	1	2	1	1
Moran 3.	0	1	1	1	0	Bay m.	0	1	1	0	0
Kahoe c.	0	0	3	1	0	Hess m.	0	0	1	0	0
Pelty p.	0	1	1	1	0	Ostdiek c.	0	1	0	0	0
						Joss p.	0	0	3	1	0
Totals	1	6	18	6	0	Totals	2	7	18	9	1

St. Louis .... 0 0 1 0 0 0—1
Cleveland .... 1 0 0 0 0 1—2

Three-base hit—Turner. Sacrifice hits—Flick, Bradley. Stolen base—Heidrick. Bases on balls—Off Pelty 2. Struck out—By Pelty 3. Time—1:00. Umpires—O'Loughlin and King.

New York 4—Washington 3.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—New York made a succession of hits on Townsend in the first and fourth innings and defeated Washington 4 to 3. The feature was a remarkable one-handed catch against the right field fence by Keeler. Score:

Wash'ton.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	New York.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
O'Neill m.	0	0	2	0	0	Do'herty l.	1	1	1	0	0
Hill 2.	0	0	0	2	0	Keeler r.	0	1	2	0	0
Stahl 1.	1	0	14	0	0	Elberfeld s.	2	1	2	6	0
H'lsman l.	0	1	2	0	0	Conroy 3.	0	0	0	1	1
Mullin 2.	1	2	3	6	0	Williams 2.	0	1	1	4	0
Cassidy s.	1	2	2	6	0	Ganzel 1.	1	2	9	0	0
Donavan r.	0	1	2	0	0	Fultz m.	0	2	4	0	0
Clarke c.	0	0	2	1	1	McGuire c.	0	0	8	1	0
Towns'd p.	0	2	0	3	0	Powell p.	0	1	0	1	0
Totals	3	8	27	18	1	Totals	4	9	27	13	1

Washington .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 2 1 0—3
New York .... 2 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—4

Two-base hits—Dougherty, Elberfeld, Keeler, Huelsman. Stolen bases—O'Neill, Elberfeld, Fultz. Sacrifice hit—Keeler. Double play—Mullin, Cassidy and Stahl. First base on balls—Off Townsend, 4; off Powell, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Powell, 1. Struck out—By Townsend, 2; by Powell, 6. Passed ball—Clarke, 1. Wild pitch—Townsend, 1. Time—1:50. Umpire—Connolly. Attendance, 1,500.

Chicago 3—Detroit 0.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Detroit could do nothing with White today and was shut out, 3 to 0. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Green r.	1	1	3	0	0	Barrett m.	0	1	2	0	0
Jones m.	1	1	1	0	0	McIntyre l.	0	0	1	0	0
Callahan l.	0	1	1	0	0	Coughlin 3.	0	0	0	0	0
Davis s.	0	2	1	5	0	Beville 1.	0	0	15	0	1
Sullivan c.	0	0	6	1	0	Crawford r.	0	1	1	0	0
Tan'hill 3.	0	0	1	1	0	Drill c.	0	0	2	2	0
Isbell 1.	0	0	12	2	0	Lowe 2.	0	0	1	8	1
Dundon 2.	0	0	0	5	0	Robinson s.	0	0	2	6	0
White p.	1	0	2	0	0	Kitson p.	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	3	5	27	14	0	Totals	0	2	24	17	2

Detroit .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0
Chicago .... 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 *—3

Two-base hits—Jones, Crawford. Stolen base—Isbell. Hit by pitched ball—By White, Kitson. Struck out—By White, 4; by Kitson, 2. First base on balls—Off White, 3; off Kitson, 2. Time—1:40. Umpire—Dwyer. Attendance, 3,358.

Reds Win at Johnstown.

JOHNSTOWN, PA., Sept. 19.—(Special.)—With the exception of the fourth inning, when Cincinnati scored two runs on errors today's exhibition was a good production of the national sport. Score:

Cincin'ti.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Johnst'n.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Dolan r-m.	1	1	6	0	0	Vought 3.	0	2	2	1	1
Seymour 1.	1	2	13	0	0	Morgan m.	1	2	0	0	0
Odwell l.	1	1	2	0	0	Tate l.	0	1	4	0	0
Steinf'dt 3.	0	3	1	3	0	Sandherr s.	0	0	3	2	2
Huggins 2.	0	0	1	1	0	J. Mur'y 1.	1	1	5	0	0
Schlei m-c.	1	2	1	1	0	Nellin r.	0	1	1	0	0
Street r.	1	1	0	0	0	Roach 2.	0	0	3	1	1
Peitz c.	0	0	1	0	0	E. Mur'y c.	0	1	6	1	0
Woodr'ff s.	0	0	1	4	2	West p.	0	1	0	1	0
Ewing p.	1	2	1	4	0						
Totals	5	12	27	13	2	Totals	2	10	24	6	4

Cincinnati .... 0 1 2 2 0 0 0 0 *—5
Johnstown .... 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—2

Two-base hits—West, Morgan, Steinfeldt, 2. Three-base hit—Schlei. Home runs—J. Murphy, Seymour. First base on balls—Roach. Struck out—Nallin, E. Murphy, West, Steinfeldt, Huggins, Schlie, Street, Ewing. Time—1:50. Umpire—Wolfe.

NEWS OF AMATEURS

Pitcher Orr is to call Bell 'phone 416 Highland and ask for Mayberry.

The Lincolns of East End want a game for Saturday. Call T. B. Rogers, Court 3870, 'phone 220.

Glenshaw wants two games for September 24 or October 1. Call up 42, ring 7, Millvale, tonight at 8 o'clock, or address T. W. Kinsey, 1301 Evergreen avenue, Millvale.

BELDAME CAPTURED FIRST SPECIAL STAKE

Defeated Fine Field and Created New Track Record—Sysonby Won a Rich Stake.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Beldame today added another stake to her already long list, by easily winning the First Special, one and a quarter miles, at Gravesend. She was favorite in the betting at even money. Caughnafaga, paying 3 to 2 for the place, was second, and Stalwart third. The time, 2:06, is a new record for the stake.

Sysonby, the defeated favorite in the Futurity, won the rich Junior Champion stakes easily today by three lengths. Wild Mint, Sysonby's stable mate, was second and Cairngorm third. The stable was held at 1 to 3 in the betting. Sysonby took the lead and won easily. Summaries:

First race, about 6 furlongs—Lady Amelia, 125, Redfern, 13 to 10 and 11 to 20, won; Leonidas, 115, O'Neil, 7 to 2 and 6 to 5, second; Gay Boy, 125, C. Kelley, 15 to 1 and 5 to 1, third. Time—1:09 4-5.

Second race, the Hitchcock steeplechase, about 2½ miles—Royelle, 140, Veitch, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, won; Daffo Downdilly, 135, Riberts, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, second; Fox Hunter, 165, Ray, 3 to 2 and 7 to 10, third. Time, 4:58 2-5.

Third race, the Junior Champion, about 6 furlongs—Sysonby, 127, Redfern, 1 to 3 and out, won; Wild Mint, 117, Shaw, 1 to 3 and 9 to 5, second; Cairngorm, 110, Lyle, 5 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:09 3-5.

Fourth race, the first special, 1¼ miles—Beldame, 114, O'Neil, even and 9 to 20, won; Caughnawaga, 126, Odom, 5 to 1 and 3 to 2, second; Stalwart, 117, Redfern, 3 to 1 and 7 to 10, third. Time, 2:06.

Fifth race, 5½ furlongs—Thirty-third, 101, Crimmins, even and 1 to 2, won; Danseuse, 96, W. Davis, 9 to 2 and 7 to 5, second; Niblick, 101, Travers, 9 to 2 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:07 2-5.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Gray Friar, 106, W. Davis, 8 to 5 and 3 to 5, won; Eagle, 100, Kunz, 9 to 5 and 7 to 10, second; Jane Holy, 96, J. Callahan, 6 to 1 and 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:48.

GIANTS' FIELD DAY.

John T. Brush Has a Plan to Keep His Team from Meeting the Americans.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The announcement by the officials of the New York National league club that a monster field day would be tendered to the Giants is to be decided upon before the close of the regular baseball season and which will be known as field day will virtually put an end to all negotiations tending to bring about a post-season series between the Giants and the winner of the American league pennant.

One of the attractions of the field day program will be a series of races between Browne of the Giants and Bay of Cleveland. If Bay is unable to meet Browne, Harry McCormick of the Pittsburghs may be induced to meet Browne. McCormick is considered one of the fastest sprinters in baseball today, and a meeting between him and Browne would prove a big card.

It is learned from a reliable source that Brush of the Giants, who hit upon the idea of field day, to make doubly sure that his plans would not be thwarted by the players at the last moment by arranging a series with the American league champions, sought out several of the Giants. It is said that Mathewson, McGinnity, Taylor and one or two other star players have been given money not to play in the proposed series.

McGarvin, whom it was said Pittsburgh was after a few weeks ago, has been released by the Highlanders after pitching one game. He may try to do business with the Pirate management upon its arrival here tomorrow.

Irving's Farewell Tour.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—Sir Henry Irving began his farewell season in the province at Cardiff tonight, appearing in "The Merchant of Venice," with Edith Matthison as Portia. The house was crowded, and the audience gave an enthusiastic reception both to Sir Henry and Miss Matthison.

The report published in the United States that Sir Henry Irving engaged Miss Matthison as leading lady in place of Ellen Terry is incorrect, the only basis of the story being in the fact that Miss Matthison will play such parts as Portia. Maud Fealy will support Sir Henry as Rosamond in "Becket," Julie in "The Lyon's Mail," Nora in "The Story of Waterloo," etc., throughout his farewell tour here and in the United States. Sir Henry will play "Becket" here tomorrow.

Refused as Site for Carnegie Palace.

THE HAGUE, Sept. 19.—The municipal council has rejected the measure for utilizing part of The Hague woods for the Carnegie peace palace. The council, however, is willing to provide another site for the arbitration headquarters.

THE THREE RIVERS

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CINCINNATI, Sept. 19.—The stage of the river at 6 o'clock this evening marked 4.6 feet and stationary. Weather partly clear and cloudy, indications for rain tonight. Today's packet departures were: Ben Hur for Madison, Bonanza for Louisville. The water has gotten so low on the Crawfish and Four-mile bars that it is impossible to get even the lightest boats over them. Commodore F. A. Laidley sent the Lizzie Bay out with two lighters on her sides in an attempt to get over, but the boats were forced back after trying to get over four miles. The channel is reported to be full of dangerous rocks and lumps of mud, and on account of the shallow water on Crawfish bar, harbormasters are unable to bring coal to the elevators in front of the main part of the city. Capt. J. F. Ellison, superintendent of the Cincinnati & Pittsburgh Packet Company, returned from a trip abroad today. He made a flying trip for his health. The trip did him much good.

WHEELING—River 18 inches and falling. Departed, Bessie Smith, Parkersburg, 11 a. m. Cloudy and warmer.

HUNTINGTON—River 3 feet 7 inches and stationary. Light rain in afternoon. Local boats on time.

LOUISVILLE—River stationary. In canal, 2.8 feet; on falls, 6 inches; below locks, 4 feet. Cloudy and warm.

STEUBENVILLE—River 17 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and warm.

PT. PLEASANT—River 1 foot 3 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and warm.

PARKERSBURG—River 2.2 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and warm. No boats.

OIL CITY—River 3 inches and stationary. Weather clear and pleasant.

WARREN—River 1 foot. Weather clear and warm.

GREENSBORO—River 6 feet and stationary. Weather clear and warm. Woodward down Tuesday and Columbia up.

MORGANTOWN—River 5 feet 9 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy.

GALLIPOLIS—River 2 feet 6 inches and stationary. Weather cloudy, rainy and warm.

At 9 o'clock last evening the gauge at the Davis Island dam indicated a stage of 2.2 feet and the river was at a stand.

RISE WILL COME LATE.

Low Water Still Prevails and Government Construction Progresses Very Rapidly.

The rivers are still low and pilots say weather conditions give no promise of high water and that they do not expect a rise until some time in November. Although the continuance of low water has operated severely against down-river packet lines and other concerns, it has been a great benefit to contractors. Good progress has been made on government work this summer. The dam at Springdale, in the Allegheny, is about completed. The new dam at Freedom is being given a good deal of attention, and with three weeks more of good weather the cofferdam at one side of the river can be removed.

Col. Thedore Poe has gone away to spend a vacation at Georgetown. He predicts high water for September 25, next Sunday. He was serving as second clerk on the I. C. Woodward after the Cincinnati line shut down. He will return when the latter company resumes navigation and take his old position in the wharfboat office. Emanuel Fanhauser has been made second clerk of the Woodward.

The Morgantown boats are still running with good trips. Passengers are still very plentiful both ways.

Capt. George H. Atkinson, local United States steamboat inspector, is out of the city on a 10 days' leave of absence. The Wheeling board of inspectors were here yesterday and inspected the steamer Clyde.

Capt. Scott R. Dawson has suffered a relapse of malarial fever. He returned to the hospital yesterday.

Between August 15 and September 16, 154 snags, 13 wrecked coal pieces, a part of a wharf boat and part of the wrecked steamer Grapevine were removed from the Ohio river between Cincinnati and Cairo by the United States snagboat E. A. Woodruff, W. H. Christian, master. A list containing the names of places from which the obstructions were removed has just been sent out from the office of Col. G. J. Lydecker, corps of engineers, United States army.

RACED IN RAIN ON OPENING DAY

Two Good Things Were Overlooked by the Bettors at Grand Circuit Meeting.

AEROLITE WAS BEATEN

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 19.—Patchen Maid's victory over Aerolite and Katherine A., in the 2:12 trotting class, was a feature of the first day of the grand circuit meeting on the Columbus track. The winner was overlooked in the betting, Aerolite being being a slight favorite over Katherine A.

Angus Pointer outclassed the field of the 2:24 pace a stake. The talent picked Bedworth, Jr., to win the 2:07 pace, a novelty event. Pauline G. took a new record in getting the first heat, but Larrie Ginter got the better of the mare in the next two heats. A drizzling rain fell at intervals during the afternoon. Summaries:

2:24 pace, three in five heats, purse $2,000.

Angus Pointer, b. g., by Cidney Pointer (Geers)	1	1	1
Ethel Mc, ch. m. (McCarthy)	2	2	2
Peruna, b. g. (Murphy)	3	3	4
Fantine, b. m. (Jones)	4	4	3
Winnie King, ch. m. (Wilson)	5	5	ds

Time—2:07¼, 2:08½, 2:09¼.

2:12 pace, three in five heats, purse $1,000.

Patchen Maid, blk. m., by Patchen Wilkes (Starr)	1	2	1	1
Kirkwood, Jr., b. h., by Silver Thorn (Dillon)	5	1	2	2
Katherine A., b. m. (Thomas)	2	3	4	5
The Questor, b. g. (Geers)	3	4	3	3
Aerolite, b. m. (Saunders)	4	5	5	4
Mary Gage, b. m. (Benyon)	dist.			
Barongalem, br. h. (Chandler)	dist.			

Time—2:09½, 2:10¼, 2:11¼, 2:11¼.

2:07 pace, three heats, each heat a race, purse $1,500.

Larry Ginter, b. h., by Meydone (Higbee)	6	1	1
Pauline G., blk. m., by Commoner (Snow)	1	2	4
Creton Maid, br. m. (Stinson)	2	3	3
Sphynx, ch. g. (Spear)	5	10	2
Foxy Guard, blk. m. (Herron)	3	5	6
Sufreet, blk. m. (Wilson)	4	4	5
Nonamie, b. m. (Chandler)	7	6	7
George S., b. h. (Guenther)	8	7	9
Bedworth, Jr., b. h. (Bell)	9	9	8
Cubanola, blk. m. (McLary)	10	8	10
Black Pet, blk. m. (Bunton)	dist.		

Time—2:06¾, 2:07¼, 2:07¼.

EIGHT-HOUR DAY POPULAR.

National Civic Federation Issues Statements from Men Prominent in the World of Labor.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The National Civic Federation, which numbers among its members such prominent men as Oscar S. Straus, Henry Phipps, Jr., August Belmont, Cornelius N. Bliss, John Mitchell, Grover Cleveland, Andrew Carnegie, Archbishop John Ireland and Bishop Henry C. Potter, today issued statements of men prominent in the world of organized labor, which show the demand for an eight-hour day is universal among workers and that they are willing to quicken its realization by a temporary reduction of wages, or by the pledge of unrestricted output, when restriction is admitted.

The belief is held by the majority of wage earners that fewer hours of work would neither lesson production nor increase its cost. The experience of the building trades, where the eight-hour day has prevailed almost universally for several years, is cited as proof of this assertion.

PLANT IS OPERATING.

More Men Are Put in the Macbeth-Evans Chimney Department.

The Macbeth-Evans Glass Company has put another squad of men into its chimney department at Charleroi, and in doing so met with no trouble from the strikers.

The company has two furnaces running and fires burning under one tank. In the furnace department the plant is working full day turn, but night work will not be started for some time. Strike benefits are being paid by the Flint Glass Workers' association at the rate of $6 a week for each member striking. As there are about 1,000 men idle, the drain on the treasury is heavy.

BARBERS HAVE A GRIEVANCE.

Those Who Failed to March on Labor Day Are Fined.

Trouble has started in the Barbers' union in Pittsburgh and Allegheny over the fines imposed on those who failed to turn out in the Labor day parade. It was decided, at a meeting before Labor day, that the barbers should turn out in a body, and provision was made for a fine of $3 as a penalty for refusal to march in the procession.

A large number of the barbers disregarded the marching order and have been notified they must pay the prescribed fine. A meeting will be held at headquarters in Fifth avenue tonight and the subject of Labor day penalties will be discussed.

GORMAN'S SON-IN-LAW GOES INTO BANKRUPTCY

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Richard A. Johnson, a stock broker of this city, and son-in-law of Senator Gorman of Maryland, today filed a petition in bankruptcy. He places his liabilities at $429,457 and his assets at $313,485. The assets consist entirely of debts alleged to be due the petitioner as a partner of the late brokerage firm of Gurley & Johnson.

MILLVALE WANTS SERIES TO SETTLE CHAMPIONSHIP

Manager Brownlee of Washington Makes Season's Averages—Waynesburg Disbands.

Manager Ed Hickey of Millvale thinks a series should be arranged to take place soon, the winner to be proclaimed the independent champions of this section. Homestead's victory over Ohio Works in a hard series surely entitled Risher's outfit to the championship, but Hickey now rises and suggests that McKeesport, Millvale, P. A. C. and Turtle Creek get together and play. Risher last night said his team was good enough to play anything in sight, and he is willing to go into any series.

Homestead will continue playing until Oct. 1. He will take his team to McKeesport today and again Thursday. Oakland A. C. will be at Homestead tomorrow and P. A. C. will be met in a double header Saturday at Friendship park.

Waynesburg—Pittsburgh was in second place one day in April, and it has not been in first place.

Manager Jim Brownlee of the Washington Independents has made out the averages of his players. The pitchers' records follow:

	W.	L.
Springer	12	9
McCleary	6	2
Marks	6	4
Hollis	9	6
Carson	1	2
Cracraft	1	1
Calhoun	2	1
Lawrence	0	1

The batting averages are:

	AB	R.	H.	SB	SH	Ave
Cree	162	41	57	10	2	.352
Comfort	177	36	59	9	5	.333
Hollis	45	3	14	0	0	.311
Palmer	147	20	44	8	8	.300
Collins	218	46	63	18	5	.289
McCleary	31	4	8	1	1	.258
McConnell	219	57	56	23	11	.256
Springer	72	6	18	0	1	.250
Welty	213	26	52	12	0	.244
Smith	185	27	45	9	3	.243
Fechter	210	32	50	3	3	.238
McDonald	132	21	31	0	3	.235
Marks	36	7	8	0	1	.222
Eckles	52	5	10	1	0	.192
King	18	0	3	0	2	.166
Cracraft	7	1	1	0	0	.142

Waynesburg disbands today after playing Wheeling. Sheriff Koebert will banquet the team tonight.

PAIR COMMITS SUICIDE.

Young Man and Woman Asphyxiate Themselves With Gas—Complained of Cruel World.

YORK, PA., Sept. 19.—Michael Schall, head of the Keystone machine company of this city, and Miss Nettie Gatwalt, also of York, were found dead in the young woman's apartments today. Three gas jets in the room were turned on and the apartment was full of gas. They had spent Sunday at Pen Mar, returning about 9 o'clock last night. Both wrote notes in which they complained of the cruel world, sat down without removing their clothing, and turned on the gas. Schall had been drinking to excess lately.

Both had been suffering from nervous affections and to this is attributed the tragedy. Both were well connected socially.

To Organize Retail Clerks.

Organizer G. B. Squires of the Retail Clerks' International Protective association, who has been trying to start a branch of that organization in this city, is now trying to have Salesmen's local 4907 of the Knights of Labor affiliate with his association. He is sanguine of success.

To Replace Steam Engines.

The Keeling Coal Company will replace their pit engines by a system of electricity. Supt. Peter Keeling said yesterday the new equipment would be installed in all the mines on the South Side as rapidly as possible.

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In fact, we would not offer such pianos at such a price but for the reason that our warerooms are very much crowded. The addition of this lot to the usual number of exchanges which we handle from week to week makes a greater demand upon our exchange room than we can comfortably accommodate.

We urge you to come here immediately if interested—$125 for any one of these nine pianos.

Among the lot, and including some other particularly low priced pianos in our exchange room, are such makes as Decker Bros., Hardman, Weber, Fischer, Chickering, Howard, Huntington, Willard, Mendelssohn, McPhail, Sterling, Hamilton, and others.

Of course, there are some higher priced used pianos in this department, but the majority are priced AWAY BELOW their actual value, in order that we may dispose of them quickly.

We shall be glad to furnish a complete list to any one who cannot call, but a personal visit is urged in all cases of those who are looking for really great bargains in pianos.

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See special Sheet Music offers in other columns of this issue.

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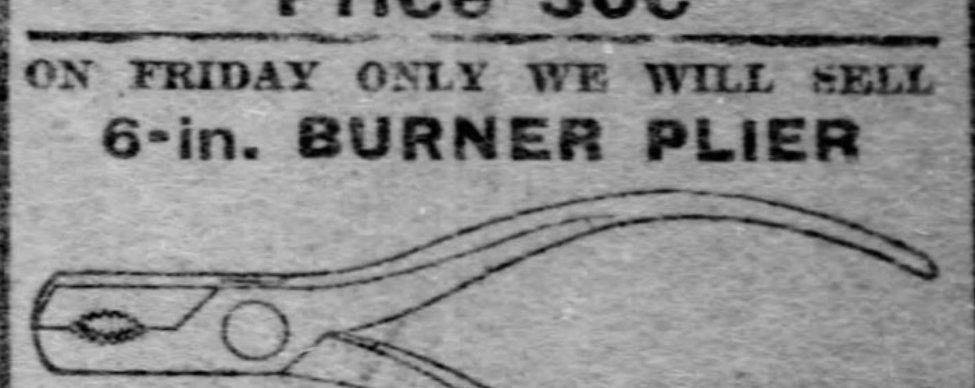

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BISHOP ASSIGNS M. E. MINISTERS

Appointments Made for the Churches Composing Eastern Ohio Conference.

MANY PASTORS ARE PLACED

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

BELLAIRE, O., Sept. 19.—The Eastern Ohio conference of the Methodist Episcopal church closed its session here today. Bishop Fowler announced the following appointments:

Akron district—G. H. Stewart, presiding elder; Akron, First church, Clark Crawford; Arlington Street, B. P. White; Grace church, A. R. Custer; Main Street, E. T. Molin; North Hill, H. L. Ward; Woodland, W. F. Wykoff; Atwater, T. H. Hill; Bissells, E. H. Roberts; Braceyville, J. H. Conkle; Bristolville, E. S. Smith; Canfield, A. B. Williams; Charlestown, Frederick Hart; Cuyahoga Falls, W. J. Wilson; Deerfield, J. G. Schaibley; Edenburg, C. M. Life; Garrettsville, B. C. Groves; Kent, W. H. Dickesson; Mantau, M. E. Evans; Mineral Ridge, B. McCarty; Mogadore, R. Davidson; Newton Falls, R. W. Wyrick; North Field, W. N. Webster; North Jackson, Gates Young; Peninsula, A. L. Nixon; Pleasant Valley, to be supplied; Ravenna, E. E. Whitaker; Rootstown, C. M. Kirk; Southington, to be supplied; Tallmadge, R. C. VanCamp; Twinsburg, W. L. Askue; Warren, First church, E. A. Jester; Todd Avenue, L. C. Hallett.

Barnesville district—J. M. Slutz, presiding elder; Barnesville, J. R. Jacobs; Barnesville circuit, E. N. Hawkins; Batesville, W. C. Miller; Beallsville, H. S. Scott; Beallsville circuit, L. W. Chambers; Bellaire, First church, S. B. Salmon; South church, C. W. Danford; Bellmont, R. F. Whitehurst; Bethesda, H. F. Patterson; Clarington, E. O. Morris; Demos, W. S. Baker; Fairview, A. E. Yager; Hannibal, R. G. Norris; Hendrysburg, D. B. Cope; Morristown, J. C. Stahle; Powhaton, L. Timberlake; Quaker City, E. P. Wykoff; Shadyside, R. W. Martin; Somerton, H. W. Stewart; St. Clairsville, C. W. Smith; Washington, M. F. Rainsberger; Winterset, J. R. Stewart; Woodfield, R. C. Wuestenberg.

Assignments in Cambridge District.

Cambridge district—J. J. Wallace, presiding elder; Berne, S. T. Water; Bethel, J. M. Schaefer; Beverly, B. W. Merrill; Bristol, H. L. Peoples; Byesville, C. T. Petty; Caldwell, S. F. Ross; Cambridge, W. B. Winter; Chandlersville, T. H. Taylor; Claysville, J. G. Exline; Cumberland, B. L. George; Dexter City, A. R. Elliott; Hiramsburg, John Talton; Maxburg, W. O. Hawkins; Masterton, F. A. Wharton; McConnelsville, S. F. Wood; Neeleyville, to be supplied; New Matamoras, G. T. Humble; Newport, N. W. Bevington; New Concord, R. E. Beethan; Reno, J. F. Stewart; Sarahsville, A. M. Misel; Senecaville, Ross Sullivan; Sonora, T. T. Howson; Stafford, G. S. Stage; Summerfield, J. L. Neely.

Canton district—J. C. Smith, presiding elder; Alliance, First church, C. N. Church; Union Avenue, James Walls; Berlin Center, to be supplied; Canton, Dueber Avenue, H. J. Hunscher; First church, O. W. Holmes; Simpson, J. S. Reager; Carrollton, T. J. McRae; Columbia, J. M. Carr; Damascus, J. W. Eicher; Dellroya, C. F. Stansberg; East Palestine, G. W. Orcutt; Franklin Square, J. E. Russell; Greentown, E. E. Sparks; Hanoverton, to be supplied; Leetonia, J. A. Rutledge; Lisbon; W. A. Brown; Malvern, A. W. Harris; Marlboro, W. G. Harper; Massillon, J. W. Robins; Mechanicstown, C. C. Chain; Miner, J. V. Orin; Negley, F. V. Boyle; New Waterford, A. H. Wilson; Petersburg, G. F. Norris; Pierce, J. L. Herron; Rodgers, P. A. Bright; Salem, H. W. Dewey; Sebring, Morris Floyd; Waynesburg, W. M. Kinsley; Winona, L. D. Spangey.

Youngstown district—J. W. King, presiding elder; Andover, E. J. Smith; Ashtabula, C. H. Stocking; Lake Street, O. B. Jones; Chappel, T. B. Scharset; Cherry Valley, E. V. Ault; Church Hill, W. B. Judd; Cold Brook, W. P. Baxter; Conneaut, W. J. Duhadway; Dosset, W. M. Harford; Girard, L. L. Fisher; Greensburg, E. A. Williams; Gustava, W. C. Cain; Hartford, Frederick Nightengale; Hubbard, T. H. Armstrong; Huntsburg, J. P. Wiseman; Jefferson, C. M. Hollett; Kelloggville, N. H. Hulburt; Kingsville, R. W. Gardner; Kinsman, R. E. Myers; Lowellville, to be supplied; Mechanicsville, F. E. Heighway; Niles, William Peregory; North Bloomfield, W. E. Hallett; Orangeville, W. T. Jenkins; Orwell, J. B. Manley; Poland, W. S. Rowe; Richmond Center, I. R. Griffith; Rock Creek, M. Moses; Struthers, W. K. Yingling; Vienna, S. M. Chalker; West Mecca, H. A. Cobbledick; Windsor, W. H. McEwan; Youngstown, Belmont Avenue, T. F. Phillips; Epworth, W. H. Sutledge; Grace church, J. W. Vankirk; Trinity, E. O. Buxton; Wilson Avenue, A. E. Burrows.

Cleveland district, L. W. Lane, presiding elder. Bedford, J. J. McAlpin; Burton, F. L. Chalker; Chagrin Falls, J. E. Cope; Chardon, S. C. Collier; Cleveland, Asbury, C. L. Peck; Broadway, J. E. Wilson; Cleveland Heights, I. J. Thorn; East Glenville, O. C. Fox; Epworth Memorial, W. B. Packard; Euclid avenue, G. K. Morris; First church, C. B. Mitchell; Grace church, F. C. Anderson; Independence, S. R. Wallace; Kingman street, M. C. Scott; Mars Hill, William Wineter; Miles park, J. W. Moore; Parkwood avenue, H. H. Scott; Scoville avenue, W. G. Walters; St. Clair street, W. E. Fetch; St. Clair Street Mission, to be supplied; Wade Park avenue, D. W. Knight; Willson avenue, A. J. Moore; Windermere, N. W. Stroup; Woodlawn avenue, R. M. Freshwater; Woodlawn Hill avenue, W. A. Kenney; Collinwood, C. F. M. Greene; Concord, W. H. Gibson; Geneva, First church, I. J. Harris; Second church, E. D. McHenry; Hampton, A. E. Stockham; Madison, F. W. Z. Barrett; Mayfield, J. W. Wilson; Mentor, F. I. Dunbar; Middlefield, R. F. Keeley; Nottingham, S. Burt; Painesville, J. S. Secrest; Perry, J. H. Stearrett; Saybrooke, J. V. Haskell; Thompson, H. W. Kennedy; Warresville, G. C. Giffin; Welshfield, to be supplied; Willoughby, W. M. Jeffer.

Steubenville district, C. E. Manchester, presiding elder. Bloomingdale, T. W. Anderson; Bridgeport, F. A. Dorner; Brilliant, W. I. Nicholson; East Liverpool, Erie street, S. P. Lloyd, First church, M. B. Pratt; East Springfield, J. F. Rankin; Empire, W. W. Burton; Hammondsville, E. E. King; Harlan Springs, J. O. Davidson; Irondale, M. C. Grimes, Martins Ferry, J. R. Keve; Mingo Junction, A. W. Gruber; Richmond, J. Y. Ellis; Salineville, S. A. Pergory; Smithfield, B. C. Beck; Steubenville, First church, J. S. Smith; Hamline, J. A. Huhlman; Toronto, First church, W. H. Dye, Second church, C. E. Miller; Warrenton, F. I. Swaney; Wellsville, J. W. Toland; West Bridgeport, J. A. Wright; Winterville, J. S. Hollingshead.

Uhrichsville District.

Uhrichsville district, C. B. Henthorn, presiding elder. Adamsville, J. G. Dambie; Barton, C. C. Eyster; Bethel, W. E. Bell; Bowerstown, W. E. Bottlcher; Cadiz, Thomas Wood; Centenary, E. E. Shiutz; Coshocton, C. E. Clark; Deersville, W. H. Stewart; Dennison, Edwin Kirby; Flushing, W. H. Haverfield; Freeport, O. D. McKeever; Gilmore, P. M. Phillips; Gnadenhutten, C. M. Porter; Halmes, N. B. Stewart; Jefferson and New Rumley, I. E. Miller, Jewett, H. M. Later; Kimbolton, E. S. Bowers; Leesville, J. D. Melton; Midvale, J. A. Young; Mineral City, J. D. Khoe; New Athens, J. S. Eaton; Newcomerstown, C. W. Harshman; New Cumberland, O. D. Williams; New Philadelphia, J. C. Morton; Piedmont, W. H. Piggott; Plainfield, O. M. Peoples; Scio, I. C. Paugh; Tippecanoe, S. Cummings; Uhrichsville, A. J. Hyatt; West Lafayette, G. E. Rainsberger.

Pittsburgh Conference Appointments.

JOHNSTOWN, Sept. 19.—The Pittsburgh conference of the United Evangelical church, which came to a close at midnight last night, made the following appointments:

Johnstown district—J. W. Domer, presiding elder; Conemaugh, W. A. Wissinger; Cherry Tree, A. B. Day; Dubois, F. B. Hetrick; Fairview, M. V. DeVaux; Indiana, W. A. Schaffer; Willow Street, C. C. Poling; Fairfield Avenue, C. A. Mock; Dale, F. D. Ellenberger; Derby Street, W. W. Elrick; Grove Avenue, N. Frank Boyer; Marchand, P. D. Steelsmith; Mechanicsburg, J. L. Hull; Portage, to be supplied; Troutville, H. B. Seese; Westover, G. C. McDowell; Worthville, N. W. Kelley.

Somerset district—D. P. K. Lavan, presiding elder; Bedford, A. A. Hilleary; Berlin, J. W. Wise; Braddock, A. J. Beal; Mt. Pleasant, J. M. Waters; Cambria, W. A. Bauman; Glassport, F. W. Bartlett; Greensburg, C. D. Slagle; Hyndman, D. J. Hershberger; Indian Creek, G. W. Ringer; Jennertown, O. Frye; Ligonier, A. C. Miller; Mt. Olive, N. M. Miller; Pittsburgh, E. W. Ware; Salisbury, S. M. Cousins; Somerset circuit, W. Reininger; Somerset, David Berkey; South Fork, J. Q. A. Curry; Scalp Level, J. A. Boozer; Windber, E. W. Bishel.

Franklin district—J. J. Carmany, presiding elder; Armstrong, E. T. Jones; Barleyville, G. E. Robland; Brockville, T. J. Marlett; Clarendon; G. H. Dosch; Crawford, S. Million; Demsey, G. V. Canwering; Franklin, Buffalo Street, A. J. Bird; Franklin, Park Avenue, M. E. Berger; Franklin circuit, to be supplied; Hawthorne, D. L. Yoder; Lickingville, D. R. Miller; McKean, Henry Baer; Oil City, S. H. Barlett; Greenville, the Rev. Mr. Powell; Shenango, G. E. Erskine; Venango, E. D. Miles.

Little Chance for "Graft" Now.

Bids are being asked by Postmaster George L. Holliday for the painting of 773 letter boxes, 66 package boxes and eight iron posts located in Pittsburgh and vicinity. Before the recent investigation in the postal service the boxes were painted by a painter of New Haven, Conn. The painting of letter boxes was said at the time of the investigation to have been one of the largest sources of income for the "grafters." The postoffice department is also advertising for bids for screen wagon service between the local postoffice and the various railroad stations.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. William Walter Willock of "Gladmore Farm," Sewickley Heights, entertained a number of their friends at an informal supper last evening. The guests included 40 men and women of the valley who will be present at the horse show today, together with many others who have gone down to the valley from town as members of other house parties over the show. The decorations throughout the Willock house were unique and, of course, carried out the "horsey" idea. There was only one table and it had as its centerpiece a horse shoe of yellow flowers and greenery. Saddles, bits, spurs, reins and whips were arranged about the rooms and the ices were moulded in the like shapes.

This supper opened what will be a very gay though somewhat brief social period in the valley. There was music by the same band that will play tonight at the Allegheny Country club. Mr. and Mrs. Dan R. Hanna of Cleveland, O., are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Willock over the horse show. Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Jones, Jr., will have Mr. and Mrs. William L. Jones as their guests, and Miss Madeline Laughlin will be hostess to Miss Marion Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Messler. Mr. and Mrs. William P. Snyder will have quite a large party, including several college boys and girls, who will remain at Wilpen hall until Thursday or Friday. The members of this party include Mr. and Mrs. James B. Laughlin, Miss Alice Laughlin, Ledlie Laughlin, Henry Laughlin, Miss Evelyn Black, Miss Pauline Dilworth, Miss Bessie Woods, Lawrence Dilworth Blair, William Scott and Harry Beggs. Mrs. Snyder will give a dance tomorrow evening in honor of her son, William P. Snyder, Jr., who will leave on Monday to resume his studies at Haverford. His three house guests will go with him.

Miss Martha Dalzell, Clinton L. Childs and John Newlin Trainer compose the house party being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. James Harold Childs, and today Mr. and Mrs. John G. Bennett, Miss Sarah Bennett, Miss Jane Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. J. Dawson Callery will go down to Sewickley as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell H. Boggs. Mr. and Mrs. Barber of Detroit, Mich., are visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Walter Rhodes, and Miss Mary Rhodes will be with them today. Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Speer, Jr., are staying with Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Scaife and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Holden Binns have a few friends from town whom they will entertain at dinner at the Allegheny Country club this evening.

Interesting Harrisburg Wedding.

An approaching wedding in Harrisburg which will be of interest to many Pittsburghers is that of John Campbell, formerly of this city, and Miss Hannah Gross of Harrisburg. The bridegroom is the son of William Campbell of this city and is prominently identified with a large iron and steel concern in Harrisburg. He is a graduate of the Massachusetts School of Technology, class of 1900. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Z. Gross. The bride's family is well known to Pittsburgh people. Mr. Gross has been for many years recorder at Harrisburg and takes a leading part in the political and business affairs of that city. Several hundred invitations will be issued, many of them coming to Pittsburgh. The wedding will take place about the middle of October, in the fashionable Pine Street Presbyterian church, and will be followed by a large reception at the bride's home in Front street.

Among the ushers will be Mayor Vance McCormick of Harrisburg, a cousin of the bride, Harry Gross, and four of the bridegroom's brothers from this city. The bride will be attended by Miss Anna McCormick, Miss Chamberlain, Miss Blaikie and Miss Annie D. Campbell, the bridegroom's sister. John Campbell, accompanied by his fiance, will pay a short visit to the family residence in Stanton avenue before the wedding takes place.

Wolcott-Wright.

A quiet and pretty Sewickley affair was the wedding last evening of Miss Wilhemina Wolcott and Robert Hervey Wright. The marriage was solemnized at 8 o'clock and the Rev. Robert A. Benton, rector of the St. Stephen's Episcopal church of Sewickley, officiated. The ceremony took place at the home of the father of the bride, Darwin S. Wolcott, in Frederick avenue, Sewickley. The bride was given away by her father. Her only attendants were her little brother and sister, Master Robert W. Wolcott, and Evelyn M. Wolcott. The bridegroom had as best man his brother, Frederick Fullerton Wright.

The bride was handsomely gowned in Persian mulle over white silk, with yoke and trimmings of lace. Her veil was caught with orange blossoms, and she carried a white prayer book. The decorations were all of green and white. Mr. and Mrs. Wright left last evening for an extensive eastern trip, after which they will be at home in Wilkinsburg, the bridegroom's former home. The ushers were Darwin Wolcott, Jr., and Christopher Wolcott, brothers of the bride.

Will Have But One Attendant.

Miss Marie Vincent will be her sister's maid of honor and only attendant at the wedding of Miss Lyda Young Vincent and Almer Hamilton Orr on Wednesday, November 2. The Rev. Dr. Robert M. Russell, pastor of the Sixth United Presbyterian church, will perform the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reed M. Vincent, in North Highland avenue, at 6:30 o'clock, the bride's father giving her away. The ceremony will be very quietly conducted, but at 8 o'clock there will be a large reception.

After their wedding trip the bridal couple will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Vincent until spring, when they expect to go housekeeping in the East End. Miss Vincent is a graduate of Miss Thurston's school, and her fiance is of the Western University of Pennsylvania class of 1900. He is associated in business with his father, James P. Orr, general freight agent of the Pennsylvania Company. Miss Marie Vincent, the maid of honor, will leave this evening to enter her sophomore year at Smith college in Northampton, Mass.

Wedding Rehearsal and Dinner.

The rehearsal for the wedding of Miss Margaret McKown and J. Vincent Hukill took place last evening, followed by a dinner for the bridal party. The dinner was given by the parents of the bride-elect, Mr. and Mrs. William McKown, at their home in Perrysville avenue, Allegheny. There will be several out-of-town guests at the wedding this evening, among them being Mrs. William Spencer and Mrs. F. H. White of Duluth, both of whom are staying with Dr. and Mrs. Fletcher White of Sewickley, and Miss McKown's guests, Miss Frances Williams of Evanston, Ill., and Miss Alice Mizener of Erie, the fiancee of J. Boyd McKown, who is to be best man at his sister's wedding.

In Honor of Bride-Elect.

Miss Alice Robinson Maple, a September bride-elect, was the guest of honor at a very prettily appointed luncheon given yesterday by Miss Rebecca Marchand of Penn avenue, Point Breeze. Pink roses formed the decorations and dainty water color sketches, marking the places, were retained as souvenirs. The guests, in addition to Miss Maple, included Miss Gertrude Maple, Miss Elizabeth Entwistle of Johnstown, Miss Lydia Williams of Ogontz, Miss Lou Childs McLain, Miss Estella McCallam, Miss Jessie Clarke, Miss Marguerite Maple, Miss Yolande Marchand, Mrs. William Thompson and Miss Sarah Clarke.

Miss Collord's Friend to Wed.

The engagement of Miss Edna Florence Moore of Arnold and George Plumer Kline of Greensburg, announced some time ago by Miss Augusta V. Collord of Fifth avenue, will terminate in a wedding at Arnold on Tuesday, October 11. Miss Collord and her mother, Mrs. James Collord, are still in Atlantic City, where they have been spending the summer. Miss Moore has also visited Miss Lucy Kennedy, Julian Kennedy's daughter, at her home in Forbes street.

Will Celebrate Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Cass Sunstein of Fayette street, Allegheny, will celebrate the 25th anniversary of their marriage on Friday, October 14, with a family dinner at 6 o'clock, followed by a large but informal reception at 8, for which no cards have been issued. Before her marriage, in 1879, Mrs. Sunstein was Miss Rose Fink of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Sunstein have three children, Miss Daisy Sunstein, Leon Sunstein and Elias Sunstein.

Will Wed on Thursday.

Miss May Isabelle Steinaker, daughter of Mrs. Bertha Steinaker, and Roman Herbert De Lynn will be married on Thursday evening at the home of the bride's mother in Black street, East End. Dr. J. Leonard Levy will perform the ceremony at 7:30 o'clock. Mr. De Lynn and his bride will be at home after October 1.

Will Wed Today.

This afternoon at 4:30 o'clock the marriage of Miss Mary Dickson Little and J. W. Barber will take place, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Maria May Little, in Sewickley. The Rev. J. J. Hill, pastor of the Sewickley Methodist Episcopal church, will officiate, and only immediate relatives will be present.

Miss Hice to Wed Today.

BEAVER, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Miss Mary H. Hice, daughter of the Hon. Henry Hice, and John Atwood Moore, of Mansfield, O., will be married at the home of the bride's parents tomorrow.

Knox Will Attend Horse Show.

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Interest in the Bryn Mawr horse show will be considerably enlivened by the presence of Senator Philander C. Knox, whose son, Reed Knox, has a pair of hunters entered.

Notes of Society.

Miss Ada McFadden of Allegheny will leave today for Los Angeles, Cal., to make her home.

Miss Juliette Thorpe of Madison, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. John H. Nicholson of Shady avenue.

Richard Parker Andrews of Bedford avenue left on Saturday for Meadville, where he will enter Allegheny college to prepare for the ministry.

Miss Helen Harrison of North Highland avenue gave a pretty informal dinner last evening in honor of several house guests she is at present entertaining.

The directors and faculty of the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music have issued invitations for a social evening at the Conservatory hall, on Thursday evening of this week.

WOMEN'S CLUBS.

Delegates Made Reports.

The Women's Press club met yesterday at the home of Mrs. John W. Sherrer, Jackson street, East End. It was largely social in character. Mrs. Sherrer was assisted in entertaining by members of the social committee. The house was prettily decorated with purple and white asters, yellow flowers prevailing in the dining room.

Mrs. Dallas Albert was elected to represent the club at the meeting of the State Federation at Lancaster in October. A report was presented by the delegate of the club to St. Louis during the meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. William F. Abel representing the club at that gathering. Miss Marion Bonsall reported the proceedings of the International League of Press Clubs which met in July at Toledo. Mrs. Ada Cable of Braddock also represented the club at the Press Parliament in St. Louis.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Harris Buchanan, while the November meeting will be conducted at the residence of Mrs. Anthony W. Smith, Jr.

Kingsley House Preparing for Winter.

The winter's work in Kingsley house will be inaugurated October 1. William H. Matthews, head resident, is still in the Lillian home at Valencia, closing it for the season, the last party of children having come back to the city last Saturday. Kingsley house at present seems deserted, except by members of the Forum club, which is holding weekly meetings. At a meeting next Friday evening, the club will be addressed by John Downey of the East End, who will speak on "The Future of the Young Man." Nominations will also be made for officers during the coming year, the election to take place next week. John A. Moore, who has been Mr. Matthews' assistant at Kingsley houe the past year, leaves this week for New York to continue his work in manual training, but is expected to return to Pittsburgh next year.

Wedding in Oakland.

Miss Annia Claire Walker, daughter of Mrs. Susannah Walker of Washington avenue, South Side, and Walter Eugene Smith of Steubenville, were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Guy M. Dailey, Forbes street, Oakland, last night, the Rev. W. A. Jones, pastor of the Knoxville Presbyterian church, officiating. Mrs. Guy M. Dailey, a sister of the bride, was bridesmaid, while Guy M. Dailey was groomsman. Roses and carnations were used for decorating. After a western wedding trip Mr. and Mrs. Smith will reside in the East End.

Quarterly Meeting in Carnegie.

The quarterly meeting of the home missionary societies of the Allegheny and Pittsburgh presbyteries will be held in the Carnegie Presbyterian church tomorrow morning and afternoon. In the morning the Rev. Dr. William L. McEwan of the Third Presbyterian church will deliver an address on "The Foreigners." The Rev. Dr. H. T. McClelland, corresponding secretary of the Freedman's board, will speak on "Work Among the Freedmen." A special train will leave the Union station for Carnegie at 10 o'clock. The ladies will carry their lunch.

Donation and Reception Day.

The annual reception and donation day at the Home for Aged Protestant Women will be held at the home in Rebecca street, Wilkinsburg, on Thursday, September 29.

Pittsburghers in the East.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stuart Brown of Allegheny, who have been spending the summer in Sewickley, are now in the east, having left Pittsburgh on Sunday evening to be absent a week.

The Rev. Dr. Maitland Alexander is making a short visit in eastern cities.

Mrs. Thomas C. Thomson, with Miss Jennie M. Snee and Miss Elizabeth Really of Pittsburgh have arrived in London and are staying at the Carlton hotel. Mrs. Thomson, Miss Snee and Miss Really have been touring in Scotland.

Miss M. A. Gray of Penn avenue, accompanied by Mrs. Walter T. Reed of Atlantic City, sailed for Europe on the 15th, aboard the La Touraine, and will visit Paris and Brussels.

Mrs. S. E. Diffenbacher of the Buckingham, Craft avenue, has returned home after a four months' visit in the east.

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Wabash Starts Freight Today; City Officials Approve Offer

Two announcements of the progress of the Wabash here were made yesterday. One was that a long train of empties had been run in from the line back of Mt. Washington to the West Side Belt railroad and were being loaded ready for for outward movement this morning. The second was that the Wabash's offer of $54,000 for the fire enginehouse property between Fourth and Liberty avenues, adjoining the Wabash passenger station, is acceptable to the mayor and director of public safety, and will be recommended to councils.

The start of the freight traffic over the Wabash this morning has awakened a great deal of interest here, since it is the first bit of paying freight that the railroad has taken and its desire to get in here was entirely due to the big freight tonnage in sight.

The fire engine house the Wabash wishes to buy is between the present station and the triangular bit of property purchased a year ago by the Wabash at the interescetion of Liberty avenue and Fourth avenue. The purchase from the city will give the railroad the entire triangular block between Ferry, Fourth and Liberty, and allow the construction of its tracks across Liberty to the Allegheny river, permit the building of the freight warehouse up to Liberty, if desired, and also make room for increasing the size of the passenger station whenever that shall be found desirable.

Mayor Hays and Director Moore of the department of public safety, both said yesterday than the offer of the railroad company to pay $54,000, or $20 a square foot, is equal to the the best price ever obtained for real estate in that section, and as the city already owns property at Short and Water streets a site well adapted for the engine company's use, they believe the offer should be accepted. The property there is leased to April 1. The Wabash has offered to provide a temporary location for the fire companies if the railroad should need the property before the new enginehouse could be built.

C. H. & D. May Go to St. Louis.

Vice President Russell Harding of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton system says: "The matter of a through line to St. Louis over our own rails is of sufficient importance for serious consideration. There is no reason why this line should not go after its share of the St. Louis business on its own rails and in its own territory. The plans in this connection are still in a formative state. At present the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton operates into St. Louis with the Wabash system. A direct line to Chicago over the Cincinnati, Chicago & Louisville is not likely to be constructed immediately. We do not look upon our change of terminals at Toledo as a disadvantage. In fact the details of the new arrangements are satisfactory to us. We will make as good time as formerly and our service and equipment will be bettered.

Pennsy May Plan Detroit Line.

Fresh interest has been aroused as to the day when the Pennsylvania may run passenger trains into Detroit by the introduction of an ordinance in the Toledo common council to permit the Detroit & Toledo Shore line to make a double track connection with the Manufacturers railway around the Maumee town. The Manufacturers is a double track belt line, which connects with all the railroads running into Toledo. The admission of the Shore line to this general connection opens up a new line for through traffic to and from Detroit. It is true the Shore line is owned by the Grand Trunk, but observers of railroad movements profess to see greater evidence every day of a growing affiliation between the Grand Trunk and Pennsylvania, and a greater strain on traffic relations between the Vanderbilt and Pennsylvania systems.

Third New Coast Line Planned.

The Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul is beyond doubt planning to build its line through to the Pacific coast and establish terminals at Seattle or Tacoma. Not only is such a development practically certain to come to pass, but it is altogether probable that the project will not stop there, but that the line will be carried down the coast to San Francisco.

No admission of such an intention is obtainable in official quarters, but the matter has received serious attention from the heads of at least one large western system whose business is to some extent menaced by the proposed line. St. Paul thus becomes the third important system which has new lines either projected or in course of construction in California, the others being Western Pacific, which is a Gould line, and San Pedro, Los Angeles & Salt Lake, which is undoubtedly backed by the Harriman interest.

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Railroad Notes.

The annual meeting for the consideration of winter tourist rates is to be held in Cincinnati on the 27th instant.

G. L. Peck, general manager of the Pennsylvania lines west, spent yesterday in an inspection of the Ft. Wayne.

President Baer of the Reading says that the selection of a new director to succeed J. Lowber Welsh has not been made. Two men mentioned as being under consideration are Henry Clay Frick and President Murray of the Baltimore & Ohio.

It is said that there is no doubt now of a consolidation of the New York, Philadelphia, & Norfolk and the Queen Annes. When this is accomplished they will be known as the Peninsular system, and have a combined mileage of 196 miles.

While the reported sale of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton to the Erie was officially denied, it was admitted that Erie officials have lately made a study of the recently consolidated system with that object in view. The Erie connects with the Hamilton and Dayton-Pere Marquette consolidation at Buffalo and at Lima, Ohio. The Erie also uses the tracks of the smaller system into Cincinnati.

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Among the lot, and including some other particularly low priced pianos in our exchange room, are such makes as Decker Bros., Hardman, Weber, Fischer, Chickering, Howard, Huntington, Willard, Mendelssohn, McPhail, Sterling, Hamilton, and others.

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MRS. CRAFT WINS IN BROWN ESTATE

Orphans Court Dismisses All Other Exceptions to Judge Hawkins' Decree.

NATTIE M'LEAN LOSES AGAIN

Mrs. Craft's claim of $2,000 against the estate of the late Recorder J. O. Brown has been allowed. Orphans court handed down an opinion yesterday dismissing all other exceptions filed to the decree of Judge William G. Hawkins. The claim of Nettie McLean for a one-half interest in 88 shares of Colonial Trust Company stock is gain disallowed, and an appeal to the supreme court will probably follow. The full text of the opinion reads:

"The uniform practice in this court has been to require probated accounts where objections were made to the claim at the audit. While a surviving party to a contract is not a competent witness in a suit which grows out of it, it is only reasonable that he should be put upon his conscience in a court of equity on the presentation of his claim; and this is especially true here where the estate has no means of verifying the claim made by Mrs. Craft. Such probating account having now been filed by her, this objection is out of the way; and thereupon the majority of the court is of the opinion that the claim should be allowed.

"The court has no reason for modifying the auditing judge's conclusion in respect to Miss McLean's claim. The decree will, therefore, be so modified as to allow Mrs. Craft's claim and the remaining exceptions will be dismissed."

Mrs. Craft's claim was for about $2,000, which had been placed with the decedent for investment. A portion of it had been returned to her before his death.

An appeal to the supreme court was taken by former Judge John M. Greer, for the defendant, in the suit of Edward J. Quigley against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. The case was tried in Butler county, a jury returning a verdict for the plaintiff in a large sum for personal injuries alleged to have been received. Quigley was connected with the Standard Oil Company.

In the equity suit of John J. Drew against the Colonial Ice Company, and others, the defendant filed answer. It is admitted some irregularity occurred in capitalizing at $50,000 on account of a miscalculation in appropriating the value of the stock, so that it would conform with the shares taken by the incorporators in the property bought from the Duquesne Ice Company. It is averred no stock was sold in excess of the capitalization. John D. Biggert, a receiver of the Duquesne Ice Company, and John P. Robinson, it is alleged, are the instigators of the suit. The officers, it is alleged, were regularly elected, but the defendants state they are willing to have the court determine that. This company, it is averred, has prospered since its business began.

Before Judge Frazer an equity suit brought against J. Henry Jahn by Oliver E. Cornelius was on trial. The plaintiffs seeks to recover property alleged to have been fraudulently obtained by the defendant. He alleges he borrowed $200 from Jahn and signed a paper he thought was a mortgage, but which turned out to be a deed for the property. The defendant alleges he is simply holding the property in trust and that it will be returned when the debt is paid.

An opinion was filed by Judge Macfarlane in the matter of the exceptions to the court's decree in the equity suit of Mary A. Snyder and others against the Glenwood Railroad Company and others. The first and second exceptions of the plaintiffs and the third, excepting to the extent that the defendant has no rolling stock or stations and carries no passengers are affirmed. The fourth, fifth and sixth exceptions are dismissed. Otherwise the court's decree is affirmed.

John Wick, Sr., of Kittanning filed a petition asking the court to adjudge Frederick Wick a bankrupt. He claims a debt of $5,212 45. It is alleged judgments have been secured in the common pleas courts of Armstrong county against Wick and that his goods are now in the hands of the sheriff. The petitioner asks that an order be made restraining the sheriff from disposing of the goods, as it is claimed this would be injurious to the creditors.

In the bankruptcy case of Michael Tomkiewicz, a butcher of Homestead, Judge Joseph Buffington of the United States district court made an order directing the sheriff of Allegheny county to turn over to the alleged bankrupt $156 75. This money was found in the cash drawer of the shop. Nelson, Morris & Co. charged Tomkiewicz with fraud and an attachment was issued. The money was found when the attachment was served. The order was deemed best to protect the sheriff after the bankruptcy proceedings were begun.

In criminal court Ferdinand Rhode of the South Side was convicted of attempting to criminally assault his 13-year-old daughter and was sent to the penitentiary for three years.

Robert Black, late of Plum township, by his will, disposes of an estate valued at $61,600. He leaves $500 each to eight children of a deceased brother, John; $500 each to eight children of his deceased sister, Mary; $500 to Mrs. Jane Ness, $500 each to the children of his sister, Marie Cochran; $2,000 to John Black, a nephew. He makes numerous other bequests to relatives. The residue is to be divided among the Black heirs.

Clara S. Huddleston, late of Ben Avon, leaves an unestimated estate to her daughter, Catherine Anna Huddleston.

The following executions were issued yesterday: F. F. Myler vs. W. A. McKnight, $66; L. H. Bishoff & Co. vs. Anton J. Katchinar, $146.

The First National bank of Pittsburgh has entered suit against the Henry S. Mould Company to recover $29,840 18 alleged to be due on notes and other obligations. The notes were made payable to Henry S. Mould and "ourselves" and dated April 2, 1904; May 13, 1902, and May 21, 1903.

Grand Jury Returns.

The grand jury returned the following true bills yesterday: Burglary, William Mason; robbery, John Flinn; felonious assault and battery, Harry Cleveland, James Falkley; felony, Charles Russler; embezzlement, Robert Cortes; entering a building with intent to commit a felony, Joseph Clark, Edward Kelly, John Scott et al.; misdemeanor, Conrad C. Franz; assault and battery, Joseph E. Smith; carrying concealed weapons, Joseph Benadine; selling liquor illegally, Kate Ryan (2); receiving stolen goods, Ignatz Kasgicki; malicious mischief, J. E. Smith; larceny, Robert S. Allen, John Czvyak, Mrs. William A. Fassbauer, Jr., G. W. Jones, John J. Munroe, Fred Michels, Frank Myers, John Spencer.

BURGLAR ALARM WORKED.

Small Girl Used a String to Connect Bottle of Milk With Door Bell, and Arrests Follow.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Philip Albert and Peter Petro were held for trial by Magistrate Flammer this morning on a charge of stealing a bottle of milk. The complaint in the case was Jennie Marino, 14 years old.

"It was my own burglar alarm that did it," she said to the magistrate. "I fastened a string to the milk bottle which was left out, and the other end I tied to the door bell. When the boys ran away with the bottle it rang the bell, and I screamed so loudly the policeman caught the boys."

PUBLIC CLUB HOUSE TO OPEN THIS WEEK

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—The "Peoples Palace," Jersey City, the funds for which was furnished by Joseph Milbank, will be open for the members a week from today. The new institution, which is described as a club house for the people, is to be under the personal management of the Rev. John L. Scudder of the First Congregational church of Jersey City.

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WHAT PLAYGOERS SAW LAST NIGHT

BUSTER BROWN MET THE BUNCH

Greetings from the Coon Hollow Folks Tendered to Boy of Good Resolutions.

FINE SHOW AT DUQUESNE

The Coon Hollow "bunch" at the Duquesne theater last night paid their compliments to Buster Brown. Of course the coming of Buster was a signal event in the theatrical season in Pittsburgh. The fact that the captivating little lad of the good resolutions and his boon companion, Tige, consented to step out of the comic pages of The Gazette and entertain the biggest audiences the Duquesne has had this season called for some special mark of favor, but the crowd was completely astounded when the creator of the Coon Hollow merrymakers was there in person to extend Pittsburgh's greetings to the blonde-haired prank in the good family of the Browns. It happened that yesterday was scheduled for the opening of the presidential campaign in Coon Hollow and Mr. Coon, the Wolf, Br'er Groundhog, Mr. Bear and Mrs. Pig were unable to attend the theater, but C. M. Payne, The Gazette's cartoonist, and his suite were on hand and there were no formalities lacking in extending the freedom of the city to the irrepressible Buster.

An Impressionistic Sketch of Miss Randall.

At the close of the first act a big bunch of American beauties were tossed over the footlights and landed at the feet of Buster. The audience, which was in an uproar of laughter at the time, rose up and cheered. Tige smiled a diplomatic smile and Buster "resolved" to have flowers at every performance. "Gee! I wish the Coon Hollow crowd would trot along with us always," exclaimed the youngster.

Buster Brown on the stage is just as good as Buster Brown on the comic page. It would be impossible to give higher praise. And when you hear Buster's talk and watch Tige's antics in real life they, of course, appear more laughable than in the limited reproductions of printer's ink. The plot is not heavy, but is in every way characteristic of Buster, even a better story than is found in the average musical comedy. It happens that Buster had been offered a bright new $10 bill to get rid of his grandmother (the sainted mother-in-law of Mr. Brown). Buster accepted the offer in glee and agreed to split the reward with Tige, saying that he would give the faithful bull pup $5 worth of dog biscuit at six for a nickel for Tige's share of the conspirator's work. Of course poor Buster was not successful and got himself unmercifully spanked. Good resolutions followed and Tige looked on with philosophical condolence.

The Gazette Laugh Makers in Real Life.

Master Gabriel, who plays the role of Buster, is just a "regular boy." His diminutive size, coupled with his intelligent acting, make him by long odds the best featherweight juvenile on the stage. He is Buster all over and is the living figure of Buster's quaint mannerisms. Master Gabriel has improved Outcault's little hero by rewriting many of the lines and in the ability to extemporize quickly and aptly. He is 21 years of age and is no child actor. He has a bright future, and, as Buster, will live forever in the memory of playgoers. The same may be said of the work of George Ali, who impersonates the "safe and sane" Tige.

Bixley and Tige.

But the play is by no means confined to the antics of the diminutive people. Al Lamar, who has a hero part, has a voice of rare strength and sweetness of tone and his specialties and song numbers make blitheful breathing spells for the audience while Buster indites his resolutions. His moonlight song with Miss Nina Randall is one of the hits of the piece. There is something peculiarly unctious in the name "Sue" when sung in a love song, and sweet-voiced beauty loses none of its winsomeness. Miss Randall last year was the prize beauty in Anna Held's company. Beauties, indeed, are numerous with Buster Brown, and the chorus is especially attractive. Miss Dorothy Zimmerman makes the most of the unique part of Buster's governness, and Miss Mamie Goodrich has a strong character part in the role of Gladys O'Flinn, the tormented cook in Buster's household. The audience at the Duquesne last night was the largest of the season and before the week is over the Coon Hollow "bunch" may be there in person.

Nixon—"Dockslader's Minstrels."

Those people who revel in black-faced minstrelsy enjoyed themselves and will continue to do so all week at the Nixon theater. Lew Dockstader calls his present aggregation "the biggest thing in genuine black-face ever seen." It may be that the old zest has gone for negro minstrelsy, or it may be that fine feathers in the case of minstrelsy do not make fine birds. At any rate, with all its scenic beauty, and despite several exceedingly novel pieces of stage business, the big aggregation and the evidently costly scenery do not produce the result one might expect. Dockstader is himself always good, and the audience last night could not get enough of him. His airship stunt, in connection with a motion picture taken to represent his descent to earth after being caught in a cyclone, make an amusing novelty, but the comedian has no new songs that are striking. His local gags in "The Other Way" were applauded for their political bearing, and some of his airship talk was personal enough to be funny. Neil O'Brien is in the opinion of many even a superior black-face comedian, but even Neil's new rapid transit act does not flash with negro wit or individuality. There was some delightful solo singing in the first part, especially the bell chime song by Mr. Romaine, the anvil song by Mr. McDonald and Matt Keefe's beautiful rendition of "Sleep, Baby Sleep." The scenic effects were all fine, and effort has been made to return to the old negro style of minstrelsy, but the effect does not measure up to the evident outlay in scenery and talent.

But people who love minstrelsy and those who enjoy Dockstader and O'Brien, and of these there are hundreds, will enjoy the Nixon this week even though their desire to gratify a long ago cultivated taste costs them more than the show is worth and the theater is quite beyond in local reputation the entertainment.

Avenue—"Are You a Mason?"

Here is a good chance to work in that old line about the audience receiving the performance with "shouts of laughter." That is literally what the audiences did at the Avenue yesterday and last night. Leo Ditrichstein's ridiculous farce, "Are You a Mason?" still retains its power to make people laugh. The Avenue Stock Company did not give a finished performance, because it is not easy for players of delicate comedy to rush downward into uproarious farce all at once. When several of the players get "down" to their lines better the farce will be played as well as it has ever been without a star comedian. As it is, Miss Alice Gale, Mr. McVay, Miss Dunn and Mr. Paulding now give a fine impersonations. Mr. Courtenay, as George Fisher, plays the role humorously, but farce is not in Mr. Courtenay's line. Mr. Wyngate is much too dignified to unbend. Jane Kennark is natural and charming and enters with lively grace into the general fun making. Joseph Dailey does a capital bit of character work in John Hatton. The fun of the piece is of the rollicking kind, and the audiences at both performances yesterday testified approval in a way that left no doubt as to their enjoyment.

Mr. Courtenay, Miss Kennark and Mr. Hickman of the Avenue Stock Company.

Grand—Excellent Vaudeville.

It is not far wrong to say that, dramatically, the crux of the local theatrical situation may be found this week at the Grand, but it is only illustrative of the changed order of things on the stage these days. One must go to a vaudeville theater to find the drama in its highest development. Miss Jessie Millward, she who created the role of Lady Algy, opposite to Faversham's Lord Algy, together with Mr. Francis Carlyle, are presenting in vaudeville at the Grand a little sketch of singularly strong and vivid dramatic power. It is called "A Queen's Messenger," and was written by Mr. Hartley Manners, himself an actor and associated with Mrs. Langtry in dramatic authorship. This little playlet for vaudeville is a tense theme, dealing with the fascinations of a Russian spy, a woman, who traps an English diplomatist and the bearer of important papers of state. The heartless spy and sorceress becomes the woman under the influence of the man's despair when he discovers that he has been drugged and robbed, and there is a tender scene in which the papers are returned and the messenger sent away to his duty and the English girl whom he loves. Miss Millward plays the part of the Russian spy with emotional power and yet delicate finesse. Perhaps her methods may be at times a trifle florid and over-colored, but she displays acting talent of a superior kind. Mr. Carlyle is a bit stagey, but his work, too, is clever, and the softer moods of the denoument are capitally portrayed, leaving the impression that one has witnessed a real tragedy with a smile at the end. It is a charming and delightful vaudeville number.

The Nichols sisters are also at the Grand with their laughter and songs. The "negro foolin'" of this happy pair of southern girls is quite the best of its kind. Collins and Hart do a comic acrobatic act that is immensely funny. Katheryn Nelson deserves the title she carries on the program, "The Somewhat Different Girl." She is quite all of that, and is clever and charming in everything she does. Vaudeville can stand for all this sort of girl, "different" though she may be. Bruno and Russell are excellent in singing and dancing, while George Evans always makes good. The acrobatic Arabs help to fill out a bill that is astonishingly strong and entertaining.

Bijou—"A Prisoner of War."

Stirring war scenes made the four-acts of the play, "A Prisoner of War," a prime favorite at the Bijou last night. The stage setting of these scenes was unusually good and was well calculated to bring out the strong realistic features of the production. This was especially true of the fortification shown in the third act, where the Japanese fleet starts its attack upon Port Arthur and finally destroys a Russian battleship. The plot of the play being laid in Japan gives abundant opportunity for variety of costumes, in which some striking effects are produced. The story is the tale of a Japanese girl, whose wedding is one of the first scenes in the play. Separated from her husband by the false story of a jealous woman she is left to mourn his loss while he, crazed with disappointment, goes to join the Russian army. After being taken a prisoner of war and serving a long sentence in a dungeon he is condemned to death and rescued at the last moment with his wife through the cunning of a soldier who drew the bullets from the enemy's guns. The work of two members of the cast was of special merit. Edwin Brandt, in the role of Kajaro Kato, the young Japanese husband, who last year played the star role in "A Soldier of Fortune," and Sylvia Bidwell, his wife, who is very favorably known for her work in "Out of the Fold," are both players of skill and intelligence, exhibiting a degree of talent rarely seen on the ordinary melodramatic stage.

Empire—"The Bogus Prince."

"The Bogus Prince," a neat musical comedy is at the Empire this week. The opening performance last night was attended by a large audience. The characters are taken by colored people and the show, like all of that kind, is intended to furnish plenty of fun all the time. In this the show by no means falls short. The music was of a commendable quality and the singing was especially well received. There is a slight pretense at a plot, but the comical features are so strong that the plot is scarcely noticeable. Black Carl as Amos Johnson, an old cattle dealer, is the central figure in the show. Elmer Nixon as Mrs. Betsey Johnson, his wife, who craves notoriety, is clever. Leona Marshall as Miss Linah Johnson, sweetheart of Sidney Perrin, who plays as Sam Schemer, did her part well. Slim Morgan as little Willie Pickles, got the most applause. His mother, Lucy Grant, as Mrs. Sallie Pickles, is loved by Johnson, the cattleman, and a crisis takes place when Mrs. Johnson finds the two making love. Mrs. Johnson falls in love with Prof. Quickstep, a poet, vocalist and dancing master, a part played by Billy Yeager. There are a number of sweet-voiced chorus girls, who are called belles of "Ethiopiaville's Smart Set." They sing and dance well and are up to the standard of the rest of the cast.

Academy—"The High Rollers."

Patrons of the Academy were treated to an exhibition of trick bicycle riding last night that is hard to excel. The Moshier-Houghton-Moshier trio of performers not only displayed rare skill in the manipulation of their wheels, but convulsed the house with their comical antics. A full share of comedy was furnished by the three Hickmans and Frey and Ferguson, the German comedians, who exhibited many new stunts and brought out some of the best jokes that have been heard at the Academy this season. The chorus group was lively and entertaining, some of the voices being considerably above the average.

"The Professor's Love Story."

An extraordinarily attractive bill is offered at the Avenue theater next week, when the Harry Davis Stock Company will present Mr. E. S. Willard's own version of "The Professor's Love Story." Unusual interest is attached to the announcement, by reason of the fact that it is the first time Mr. Willard has permitted this play outside of his own company. It continues to occupy a prominent place in his repertoire during his present engagement in England, and it will also be given again by Mr. Willard during his forthcoming American tour.

Fritzi Scheff Coming to the Nixon.

Miss Fritzi Scheff, the favorite little grand opera singer of former years who scored so emphatically at the Nixon theater last year, returns to that house Monday night in her new comedy opera, "The Two Roses," under the management of Charles B. Dillingham. Seats go on sale Thursday. Miss Scheff is credited with scoring a hit of even greater proportions than was the case last year.

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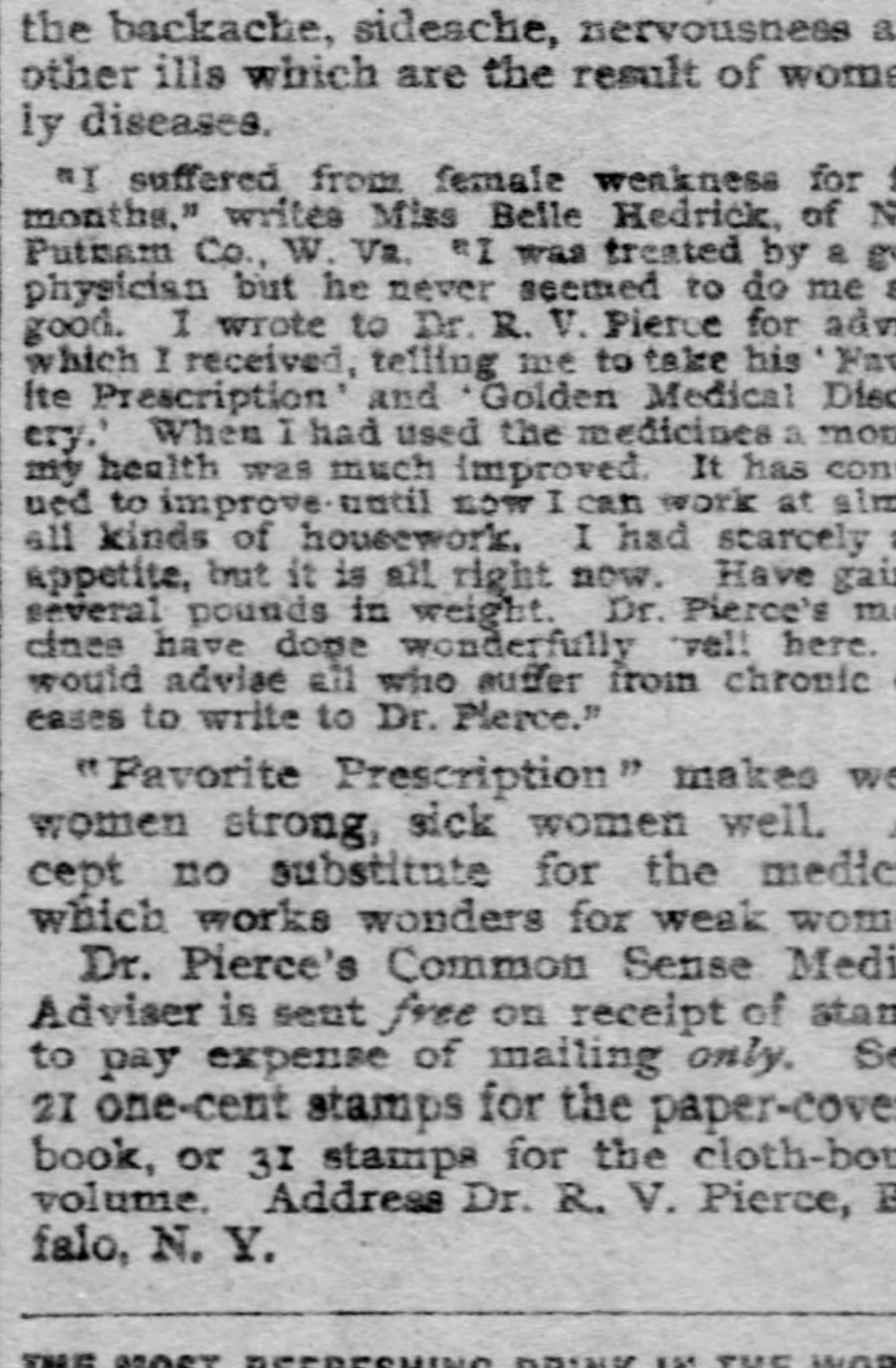

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In the matter of the petition of D. G. Lindsay for the appointment of viewers to ascertain the costs, damages and expenses, and assess the benefits for the vacation of a portion of Marburg street, First ward.

Notice is hereby given to all parties in interest that the undersigned viewers, duly appointed by the court in the foregoing matter, have prepared a schedule, showing the damages, costs and expenses ascertained and allowed, and the benefits assessed for the foregoing improvement, and that said viewers will meet and exhibit the same at their office Municipal hall, Allegheny, on the 3d day of October, A. D. 1904, at 2 o'clock p. m., and will then and thereupon hear all exceptions thereto and evidence thereon.

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Dresser, mahogany	37.00,	Sale Price	30.00
Dresser, maple	54.00,	Sale Price	45.00
Dresser, maple	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Dresser, maple	32.00,	Sale Price	23.00
Dresser, golden oak	44.00,	Sale Price	35.00
Dresser, golden oak	40.00,	Sale Price	32.00
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Chiffonier, mahogany	150.00,	Sale Price	115.00
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Chiffonier, golden oak	43.00,	Sale Price	32.00
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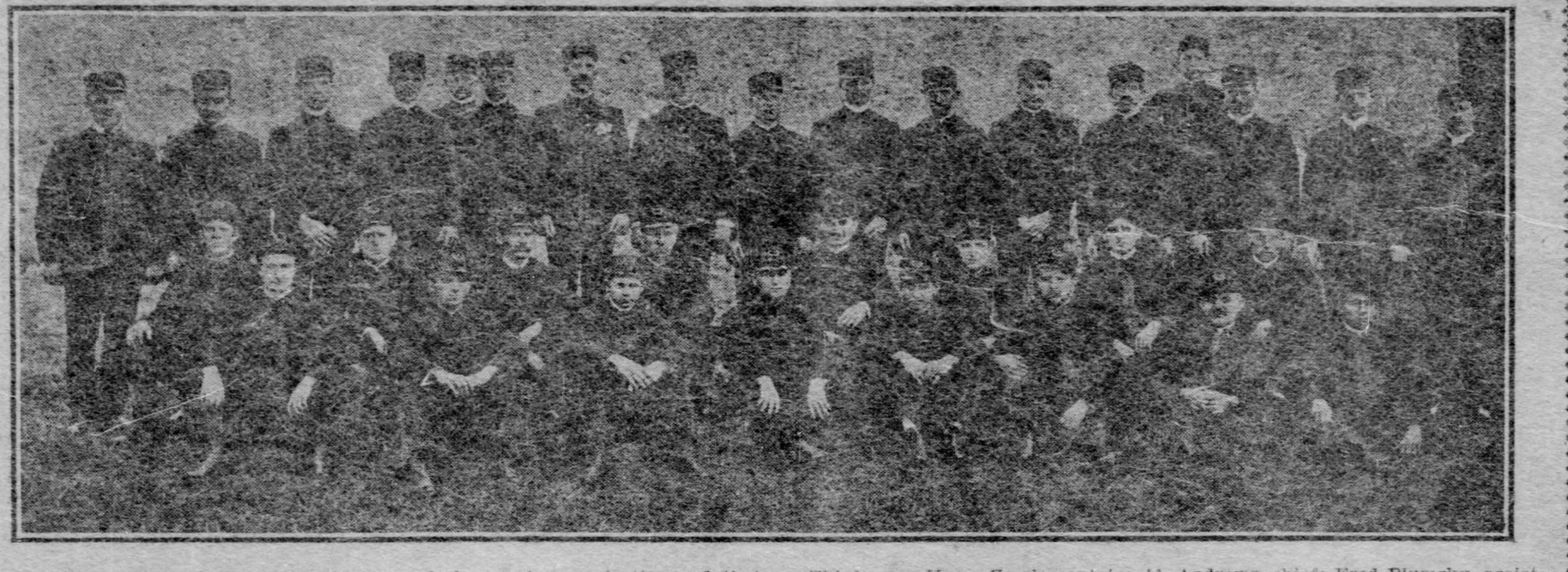

The Etna Volunteer Fire Company one of the crack organizations of that class hereabouts, looking spick and span in natty uniforms, start today for the World's Fair at St. Louis. In the above illustration, reading from left to right, the men in the top row are George Hickler, Harry Gall, Henry Orris, Henry Shafer, August Bendig, Jacob Kinsborough, Joseph Platt, John Koepke, Charles Orris, Fred Orluski, George Urbach, Samuel Clay, John Meridan, Allen Nicklas, Gus Alpermann, Albert Wheir, Paul Freyer.

Second row—Harry Cleaver, Harry McKee, John Hohman, Enoch Prothero, John Baust, Ernest Yolitz, Richard Klein, William Bergman.

Third row—Harry Zoerb, captain; Al. Andrews, chief; Fred Plumsky, assistant chief; Jos. Prothero, first lieutenant; Al. Orlusky, second lieutenant; Jacob Tain, Wm. McKee and John Cook.

The men will leave in two squads; 15 will go today and on their return after a week's stay at the fair, the others will go. The first squad will be in charge of Chief Andrews, and the second in charge of Assistant Chief Plumsky. Gus Alpermann and Jos. Platt left on Sunday to arrange for the entertainment of the firemen. The expenses of the trip will be paid from funds subscribed by the business men of Etna and the borough council.

MINISTERS ARE NOT POLICEMEN

The Rev. George Street Does Not Believe in the Energetic Campaign.

FINANCIAL PLEDGES MADE

"I am a minister, not a policeman," said the Rev. George T. Street of the First Baptist church of Braddock, yesterday, when asked if he was taking an active part in the Sabbath observance movement. "I believe the law is a good law and one which should be maintained. I do not think that it is my place to either act as a policeman myself, or to employ others to do so in the enforcement of this law. I believe that our police force, if it does its duty, will require a proper observance of the day."

Mr. Street was at the Young Men's Christian association building yesterday afternoon during the meeting of the executive committee of the Allegheny County Sabbath Observance association. He was not in the meeting, however, but sat in the parlor. He was for nine years pastor of the Mt. Washington church in this city and is well known here.

The Sabbath Observance association received assurance of support from several of the ministerial associations yesterday, some of them pledging $500 to the association to aid it in its work. The movement for a general collection is not popular in every quarter, however. Several ministers announced yesterday that they would take up no collection in their churches. A number of the Methodist Episcopal ministers stated that there are already 12 collections of a special nature in their churches every year and they would not add another.

Only a small sum of money was collected for the association last Sunday and the figures were not given out. It was stated, however, that the association had not expected a concerted movement last Sunday, and that the proceeds of all the collections had not yet been turned over.

Mass Meeting to Be Held in October.

The executive committee was addressed by the Rev. Dr. T. T. Mutchler, state secretary of the Sabbath observance movement of Philadelphia, on the subject of the state convention to be held November 14 and 15. It was decided to invite the convention to meet in this city. A general mass meeting will be held here on October 10, at which some of the best speakers in the movement will present the association's plans to the public. The young people's societies of the several denominations will be asked to take hold of the work, district their respective communities and engage in the distribution of literature bearing on the subject.

At several of the ministerial meetings yesterday morning committees of five were appointed to act in an advisory capacity with the executive committee of the association. Each committee is to select five laymen to work with them. The Baptist ministers passed a resolution supporting the movement. There were about 30 ministers present. Only about half of them voted on the resolution but there were no dissenting votes. The Rev. J. A. Maxwell of McKeesport, the Rev. W. J. Coulson, the Rev. A. R. Stark, the Rev. W. E. Pritchard, and the Rev. G. T. Taft, were appointed the committee to represent the Baptist ministers.

Others Side With Mr. Street.

Like Mr. Street, there were others who did not believe that it was their duty to act as a police force in order to secure the enforcement of civil laws. Education, they believed, would prove better in this case than prosecution. Mr. Street, however, had no sympathy with the merchants who claim they have to keep open Sunday to make expenses. He believed every department store which runs a drug department had as much right to keep open on Sunday as a drug store has.

At the Methodist Protestant ministers' meeting the association was indorsed and the following committee appointed: The Rev. S. K. Spahr, the Rev. F. N. Foster, the Rev. L. E. Davis, the Rev. F. P. Hummer and the Rev. I. A. Barnes. The Rev. T. J. Richter made a speech at this meeting in which he took city officials to task for the present conduct of the city government and the loose administration of the laws He said when this administration took hold it promised to wipe out the speakeasies and gambling houses, and instead of doing so it had allowed them to increase. The Rev. J. J. Murray of Bellevue took the stand that the law should be repealed if it is not a good one, and if it is, it should be enforced.

The Methodist Episcopal ministers appointed the following advisory committee to act for them: The Rev. J. T. Pender, the Rev. D. Flanagan, the Rev. Arthur Smith, the Rev. J. M. Thoburn, Jr., and the Rev. R. I. McKee. It was decided to pledge $500 to the support of the movement, which sum is to be raised by special collections. Several of the ministers, however, declared they would not take up a special collection but would receive any money which members of their churches might feel disposed to donate for the purpose.

Several Associations Pledge $500 Each.

The Presbyterian Ministerial association also decided to donate $500 to the Sunday movement and the Rev. W. L. McEwan, the Rev. F. W. Sneed, the Rev. G. W. Montgomery and the Rev. W. O. Campbell were appointed the committee to represent the Presbyterian association. The United Presbyterian ministers at their meeting, and those of the Christian church, each decided to pledge $500 to the association's support.

The Lutheran Ministerial association appointed the Rev. C. P. Wiles, the Rev. R. W. Wood, the Rev. J. W. Romich, the Rev. Eli Miller and the Rev. Jerome Guss a committee to represent them in the Sabbath association.

At the meeting of the United Presbyterian ministers a paper on "How May the Session be Made More Spiritually Profitable," was read by the Rev. D. F. Magill. It was decided to lend all possible assistance to the Sabbath movement and to appoint a committee to call on the mayors of the two cities and ask them to stop newsboys from crying Sunday papers in the streets. The committee will make its call this week.

As a result of the collections taken in churches in and near Braddock last Sunday, following sermons in which the work of the Sabbath Observance association was discussed, about $400 was realized for use in prosecuting the crusade of the association.

Waggaman Resigns as Treasurer.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Thomas E. Waggaman has resigned his position as treasurer and a member of the board of trustees of the Catholic university. The resignation was tendered in response to a request in a letter to Mr. Waggaman, signed by Cardinal Gibbons, the chancellor of the institution.

President Knocks Made Address.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—The principal business at the convention of the American Association of Brewers was the adoption of a constitution. President Knocks of Pittsburgh, who presided, made his annual address to the 375 delegates.

FITZPATRICK HAS THE STRIKE VOTE

Third Vice President of Trainmen's Brotherhood Will Act After Conference Is Held.

WAITING FOR THE OFFICIALS

With the ultimatum of the Trainmen's Brotherhood addressed to the head officials of the Pennsylvania Lines West in his pocket, Valentine Fitzpatrick, third vice president, is in Pittsburgh awaiting the return of General Manager G. L. Peck from his inspection trip, when the complaints and demands of the trainmen employed on the northwest system will be formally presented.

That the vote recently taken has been counted there is no longer any doubt. Although Fitzpatrick refuses to say whether it has or not, developments of yesterday were practical assurances that the result is known. In this connection it become known that the question of strike or no strike was not submitted. What was voted on was a proposition to authorize the officials of the Trainmen's Brotherhood to call a strike if they deem it advisable.

This question, it is understod, was decided in the affirmative, which places Fitzpatrick in a position to flash a message over the Fort Wayne system that will call out every member of the brotherhood. What he will do depends upon the results of a conference with the Pennsylvania officials when Mr. Peck returns.

In the event of a strike the brotherhood trainmen will not have the support of the Switchmen's Union of America. Fitzpatrick, when seen at the Seventh Avenue hotel last evening, admitted that the trainmen are not assured of the support of the switchmen. He said: "We are entirely independent of the Switchmen's union and have had no negotiations with that organization. This is entirely our own affair."

There are several reasons for assuming that the switchmen will not go out with the trainmen. By the switchmen the trainmen's organization is not recognized as a union. At least that position was taken by the Switchmen's Journal, the official organ of the Switchmen's union, last winter. Too fresh in the minds of the switchmen is the policy of the trainmen during the switchmen's strike. At that time, is is claimed, the trainmen took the places of striking switchmen.

While there was no formal meeting of the trainmen last night, Fitzpatrick held several conferences with the officers of the local lodge at his hotel. When pressed for a statement of the condition of the controversy he was not disposed to talk. "I have nothing to give out at present," he said. "No, I have not held a conference with the officials of the Pennsylvania nor with the officers of the Switchmen's union."

KNIGHTS IN WRECK.

Templar Commanderies from Providence, R. I., Are Principal Sufferers.

One Man May Die.

JUNCTION CITY, KAS., Sept. 19.—Knights Templar suffered today, when the Pullman section of the eastbound Atlantic express on the Union Pacific was wrecked by the spreading of the rails, while the train was running at high speed. Three Pullman cars left the track and the one at the rear of the train rolled over an embankment. Six persons were severely injured.

The last two cars of the train were occupied by St. John's commandery, Knights Templar, No. 1, and Calvary commandery, Knights Templar, No. 13, both of Providence, R. I., returning from the San Francisco conclave. The injured included A. Johnson, Providence, R. I., who may die.

Embezzler Will Plead Guilty.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 19.—Douglass M. Smith, formerly paying teller of the National Tradesmen's bank of this city, will be arraigned in the United States district court tomorrow on the charge of embezzlement of $65,000 from the bank. He will plead guilty.

Sentenced for Counterfeiting Label.

GETTYSBURG, Sept. 19.—N. G. Meads, convicted of counterfeiting the National Cigar Makers' union label, today was refused a new trial and was sentenced to imprisonment in the county jail for one year and eight months.

JAPANESE'S HONOR PREVENTS HIM FROM ESCAPING PRISON

Would Not Leave Cell Though Door Had Been Left Open—Owes Board Bill and Expects to Enter Yale.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 19.—A high sense of honor would not permit Hero Yarimari, a young Japanese, to escape from the town lockup in West Haven last night when another prisoner not only showed how easily it could be done, but actually got away. Yarimari was arrested on Saturday on a charge of defrauding a summer hotel proprietor out of $98 on a board bill.

Yarimari promised to pay, saying that he expected a remittance daily from Japan. The war in the far east, he feared, had interfered with the mails. As he hopes to enter Yale this fall as a student he did not appreciate the hotel owner's solicitude. But he made no protest when arrested.

After Yarimari had been locked up in the town hall an intoxicated man was brought in. After sobering up the latter proceeded to investigate and found that the janitor had inadvertently left open a door while at work. The prisoner called to Yarimari to follow and led the way. When the officer of the lockup made his morning call today he found Yarimari, who complained because cold had come through the open door all night and made him uncomfortable. He said when questioned that his honor would not permit him to decamp, and especially as he believes he can stand trial tomorrow and show that he had no intention to beat his boniface out of board money.

SOFT COAL SMOKE IS CAUSE OF DIPHTHERIA

New Haven Department of Health Has Grievance Against Railroad Company.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Sept. 19.—"The use of soft coal predisposes school children to diphtheria, according to records kept by the department of health here," said Dr. Frank Wright, city health officer, tonight at a hearing given by the ordinance committee of the board of aldermen on the soft coal nuisance. Dr. C. A. Linsley, secretary of the state board of health, supported Dr. Wright's statement, and said that all mucous membranes are irritated by soft coal emissions to a degree that constitutes a very grave public danger.

The New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad is asking for permission to widen its railroad track cut through the city. The application has seemed to citizens an opportune time to press their grievance against the soft coal nuisance.

ROOSEVELT TO VETERANS.

Wishes His Spanish-American War Comrades Good Speed at Their First Encampment.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—The first annual encampment of the United Spanish War veterans commenced here today. A letter was received by Commander-in-Chief Capt. William E. English from President Roosevelt in which the president said: "I wish it were in my power to be present and meet you and my other comrades of the United Spanish War veterans. The fact that it is impossible causes me genuine regret. The men who in '98 volunteered at their country's call show that they had in them the same spirit that actuated their fathers in '61. The task was easy and needed the exertion of but a fraction of this nation's great strength, but the way it was done showed what the nation could do if the need was more urgent.

"My comradeship in the United Spanish War veterans is something that I prize more highly than I can well say, and I wish God speed to all at their first national encampment, as well as to their comrades who are unable to attend."

REGARDS AMERICA AS A NEAR RELATIVE

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—The International Congress of Arts and Sciences convened here today. Sir William Ramsey of London, in an address, said "We Englishmen in attendance look upon this visit to America as not of that to a foreign country, but to a near relative with whom we are to come into more cordial relations."

Veterans to Have Reunion.

A reunion of the Sixth heavy artillery, Pennsylvania volunteers, will be held on Thursday evening in the headquarters of Post 88, Grand Army of the Republic, South and East Diamond streets, Allegheny. Invitations have been sent to all local Grand Army men and a big crowd is expected. John Francies will make the principal address. Mayor Wyman has ordered the flags raised on all public buildings in honor of the event.

Found in Jewelry Store Cellar.

While passing the jewelry store of Emanuel DeRoy in Market street, near Second avenue, early this morning, Policeman Michael Discon discovered a man in the cellar of the store and arrested him. At Central station the man said his name is Thomas Farron and that his home is in Texas. He got into the cellar by removing a screen from a window. Farron was held on a charge of being a suspicious person.

Guns Are Worn Out.

LONDON, Sept. 20.—The Daily Telegraph's Chefoo correspondent telegraphs a report that the naval guns on Liaoti hill fort are worn out from incessant firing, and that consequently the land for about two and one-half miles to the westward has been mined.

Iroquois Theater Reopened.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—The Iroquois theater, in which nearly 600 persons were burned and smothered to death on December 30, 1903, was reopened tonight as a vaudeville playhouse.

LAZY COFFEE.

Another Name for the "Sloppy" Sort.

Postum Coffee is not made like ordinary coffee for it takes at least 25 minutes' cooking to bring out the heavy food value of Postum. It requires some effort for those things which are really worth while—making Postum requires a little care.

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"Coffee drinking used to affect my nerves and stomach but since we have been using Postum in our family in place of coffee the bloated feeling after eating has disappeared and my head is now clear and stomach and nerves all right. We all feel better in every way and find Postum just as satisfactory to our palates.

"I have met customers who complained that Postum was not good but we always found this due to the fact that they tried to make it as they used to make coffee. Of course, we set them right by pointing out the reasons, telling them they must boil Postum 15 or 20 minutes after boiling commences, then they get fine, choice and delicious Postum." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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BILLET PRICE IS FIXED AT $19.50, PITTSBURGH

Sheet Bars and Small Billets Are Rated $2 Higher and Bars Are Placed at $1.30 by the Associations.

The prices of steel billets and bars were fixed at meetings held here yesterday of members of the associations which establish the formal lists. The reductions made were not quite so large as had been expected. The price of steel billets was established at $19 50, Pittsburgh. The former price was $23, so that the present base makes a difference of $3 50. This difference and a little more has been established in the market for several months past.

The price of sheet bars was fixed at $21 50. This price was made also for small billets. The difference between billets and sheet bars under the new price is $2. Formerly it was but $1.

The price of bars was fixed on a basis of $1 30 per 100 pounds. This is a reduction of $1 per ton.

It is said that the price of $19 50 fixed for billets is a compromise. There were some advocates of a price of $21 for billets, but this was opposed as not giving sufficient reduction to straighten out the market. The United States Steel Corporation interests are supposed to have been the ones that wanted the reduction to $19. The price fixed, $19 50, does not allow any advantage to the Pittsburgh Steel Company, it is said, on account of its recent conversion arrangement with the Republic Iron and Steel Company, over other buyers of billets.

The new prices are strictly f. o. b., Pittsburgh mills. The freight rates to whatever point the billets are to be delivered must be added to the prices fixed.

MUCH GOVERNMENT LAND TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—The commissioner of the general land office today announced that beginning October 3, at Crookston, Minn., a public sale would be conducted of 160,000 acres of surplus lands of the Red Lake Indian reservation. The tracts will be sold to the highest bidder in quarter section lots, the minimum price being $4 an acre, with the requirement that the lands must be homesteaded after purchase.

GALLANT GEN. WILDER BROUGHT HIS BRIDE

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Sept. 19.—Among the first of the civil war veterans to arrive today for the annual reunion of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland was Gen. John T. Wilder of Knoxville, Tenn., who commanded the famous "Wilder brigade" during the Civil war. He brought his bride of 10 days.

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It is easy to cure any form of kidney trouble with Doan's Kidney Pills before it reaches a fatal stage, and there are many symptoms to tell you when you have kidney disorders.

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Too copious or too scanty discharges of urine.

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Having to get out of bed at night to pass urine, etc.

The blood carries the urinous waste to every part of the body. It gets into the nervous system and causes neuralgia or sciatica; it gets into the muscles and causes rheumatic pains and gout; it weakens the lungs and irritates the heart, causing the heart to flutter and palpitate; it crystallizes into gravel and stones in the bladder and kidneys.

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FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

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City and Suburban.

ATWOOD ST., 336—Second-story front room, furnished, with board; also roommate.

BEDFORD AVE., 1913, near Roberts—Neatly furnished room; all conveniences; handy location.

BIDDLE AVE., 440, Wilkinsburg—Two furnished or unfurnished light housekeeping rooms; bath, laundry.

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MEYRAN AVE., 354, Oakland—Front room, well furnished, in good location and near good boarding.

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OAKLAND AVE., 219—Three furnished rooms, single or en suite, with board; also table boarders.

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PITT ST., 328, Wilkinsburg—Two or three furnished housekeeping rooms; range, every convenience.

REITER ST., 143, cor. Larimer—Four finely furnished rooms, single or en suite; all conveniences.

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ROSS AVE., 1013, Wilkinsburg—Three neatly furnished rooms; every convenience; no children; desirable location.

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SARAH ST., 2217—Two rooms, furnished, for housekeeping; also back parlor, furnished; all conveniences.

SIXTEENTH ST., 79—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping or bedrooms.

SOUTH CRAIG ST., 406, near Forbes—Elegantly furnished rooms and board; private family; all conveniences; prices moderate.

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East End.

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ALDER ST.—Elegant large or small rooms, single, en suite, furnished, unfurnished; gentlemen preferred, or lady employed days; best location; 3 car lines; 'phone 2263 L. Highland.

AMBER ST., 232—Furnished or unfurnished rooms.

AURELIA ST., 6360—Well furnished rooms, second floor; all conveniences; private family; 'phone.

ATWOOD ST., 351—Furnished room, suitable gentlemen or housekeeping; rent reasonable.

BELLEFONTE ST., 709—Furnished front alcove room, second floor; all conveniences; private family.

BROAD ST., 5640, second flat—Neatly furnished front rooms; use kitchen for housekeeping.

CENTER AVE., 5983, near Highland—Nicely furnished room, all conveniences, bath.

COLLINS AVE., 505—Second floor middle room; bath adjoining; with or without board; gases.

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CRAIG ST., 225, North—Very desirable room, electric light and all conveniences.

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ELLSWORTH AVE., 5518—Well furnished front and back rooms; suitable for two gentlemen; good board near; in private family.

FOR RENT—Kentucky ave., 5918, handsomely furnished second room for married couple or gentlemen; also connecting rooms; near board and cars.

FORBES ST., 4593—Neatly furnished rooms, all conveniences; gentlemen preferred; references required.

FRANKSTOWN AVE., 259—Furnished rooms for housekeeping or furnished for gentlemen, with board.

FRANKSTOWN AVE., 120—Two large nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; gentlemen only.

FURNISHED ROOM with board, three meals a day; in strictly private family, in East Liberty; permanent, single man, best references. Address X, Schilling Bros. Co.

GROSS ST., 313, cor. Friendship ave.—Two furnished rooms, all conveniences.

HAMILTON AVE., near Homewood station—Large front room; gentlemen preferred. 'Phone 331 L. Highland.

HAMILTON AVE., 6907—Near Fifth avenue station; nicely furnished room; all conveniences.

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HIGHLAND AVE., 217, South—Alcove room, finely furnished, suitable for couple or three gentlemen.

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HIGHLAND AVE., 325, SOUTH—Nicely furnished room, with board; also roommate; all conveniences.

HIGHLAND AVE., 256, South—One large second floor furnished room.

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS.

East End.

LARIMER AVE., 233—Furnished large front room, good light, all conveniences; also furnished back room.

MARCHAND ST., 6351, East End—Two large furnished rooms, convenient to cars.

MAYFLOWER ST., 152, East End—One large unfurnished room for rent; both gases; bath.

MARGARETTA ST., 5910, near Highland—Nicely furnished front rooms, near three car lines.

MONTICELLO ST., 7318—Two neatly furnished rooms, every convenience; gentlemen only; near boarding.

MONTICELLO ST., 7328—Cheerful, nicely furnished room; all conveniences; finely located; $2 week.

MURTLAND AVE., 510, near Hamilton; large front room; nicely furnished; suitable for three men.

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RACE ST., 7443—Two large neatly furnished rooms, second floor; all conveniences; gentlemen.

SHADY AVE., 227, East End—Furnished or unfurnished 10-room reception hall house, hot water, heat.

SHADY AVE., 271, cor. Marchand—Exceptionally pleasant furnished rooms for rent.

SHETLAND AVE., 189—Two furnished or unfurnished rooms, in private family.

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SUSQUEHANNA ST., 7735, Brushton—Two furnished rooms, bath, gentlemen preferred, or housekeeping.

TO LET—Four rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with private bath, for light housekeeping. U. 199, The Gazette.

WALNUT ST., 6106—Furnished room, second story; references exchanged.

Allegheny.

ARCH ST., 600—Elegantly furnished front rooms, all conveniences; reasonable to permanent tenants.

ARCH ST., 810—Two newly furnished connecting rooms with private bath; gases; suitable for two or four persons.

CEDAR AVE., 804—Very desirable furnished rooms; all conveniences; gentlemen preferred.

ESPLANADE ST., 1311—Nicely furnished second floor front; all conveniences; private family; gentlemen.

ESPLANADE ST., 1317—Desirable furnished room; suitable for two gentlemen; all conveniences.

HEMLOCK ST., 340—Large furnished front room, second floor; conveniences; two gentlemen; private family.

IRWIN AVE., 1112—Two newly furnished rooms, bath; both gases; 'phone; gentlemen preferred.

MONTEREY ST., 1225—Nicely furnished connecting rooms, second floor; also two rooms for housekeeping; all conveniences.

NORTH AVE., W., 200—Large furnished front room for three gentlemen; also other rooms.

NORTH AVE., W., 412—Nicely furnished rooms; bath; both gases; 'phone; terms reasonable.

NORTH AVE., 948—Elegantly furnished rooms; all conveniences; private family.

NORTH AVE., W., 408—Very desirable furnished rooms; bath, both gases; $1 50 week up.

OHIO ST., W., 207—Nicely furnished rooms; all conveniences; double parlors; suitable for business; single or en suite.

PENNSYLVANIA AVE., 1133—Nicely furnished front room; bath, gases, hot and cold water; gentlemen.

REBECCA ST., 902—Large, nicely furnished front room, for two or four gentlemen; private family.

RIDGE AVE., 1135, Allegheny—Couple nice rooms, furnished; light housekeeping or meals.

RIDGE AVE., 811—Large front room; newly furnished; breakfast and dinner if desired.

RIDGE AVE., 1264—Neatly furnished room, second floor; bath, both gases; $8 month.

SANDUSKY ST., 708—Nicely furnished front room; suitable for two gentlemen.

SANDUSKY ST., 412—Neatly furnished room; bath, both gases; gentlemen preferred.

SHERMAN AVE., 414 (near Stockton)—Large airy front room suitable for two gentlemen; electric light, gas, private bath.

SUPERIOR ST., 7—Elegantly furnished front room suitable for two gentlemen; all conveniences.

TO LET—Second floor, consisting of three nice rooms; one is very large front room and two connecting, with all conveniences, furnished; one partly furnished for young couple. 1007 Cabinet st., near Allegheny ave., Allegheny.

UNION AVE., 709—Facing park; nicely furnished front room, bath, both gases.

WASHINGTON ST., 526—Nicely furnished second floor front room; also single rooms; breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner optional; 10 minutes' walk to Pittsburgh. Mrs. Long.

ROOMS AND BOARD.

City and Suburban.

COAL ST., 513, Wilkinsburg—Neatly furnished rooms; boarding if desired; gentlemen preferred.

FIFTH AVE., 3910—Boarding, breakfast and 6 o'clock dinner.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5901, cor. College—Large, handsomely furnished rooms; excellent table board. Bell 'phone 1883 W. Highland.

BELLEFONTE ST., 621—Newly furnished rooms, with or without board; 5 doors from Ellsworth ave.; all conveniences; terms reasonable.

EAST END HOTEL.
Corner Penn and Putnam st., neatly furnished rooms; conveniences; excellent table service and cuisine; rates $2 per day and up; special rates to families and permanent boarders; large grounds and porches.

EUCLID AVE., 730, North—Neatly furnished rooms, one alcove, good boarding.

FIFTH AVE., 5816—Large furnished room; first-class boarding; beautiful location.

MELLON ST., 931, near Wellesley—Furnished rooms, board if desired, near four car lines.

NEVILLE ST., 531—Furnished rooms for couple or gentlemen; large grounds; good table board.

RIPPEY ST., 5634—Pleasant room and board for one or two gentlemen, in private family.

SHERIDAN AVE., 530—Furnished rooms, with board; large lawn, shade trees, porches; new management. 'Phone 372-W Highland.

SIMEN AVE., 6744—FIRST-CLASS BOARD AND ROOMS. REFINED GENTLEMEN. REFERENCES. NEAR HAMILTON CARS AND STATION.

S. HIGHLAND AVE., 406—Desirable rooms with table board; references required.

SHADY AVE., 435—Nicely furnished front rooms with board. Bell 'phone 2751-R Highland.

SOUTH NEGLEY, 731—Pleasant room for two gentlemen; bath adjoining; excellent table; private family.

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Fifth ave., 3519—Beautiful rooms, nicely furnished; excellent table board; porches; all conveniences; reasonable rates.

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FORBES ST., 3407—FURNISHED ROOMS WITH FIRST-CLASS BOARDING, REASONABLE RATES; PORCHES, LAWN; ALL CONVENIENCES; BOTH 'PHONES; HANDY ALL CARS.

Allegheny.

ARCH ST., 810—Furnished rooms; nice location; few minutes' walk from city; all conveniences; board if desired.

FAYETTE ST., 1211—Very large furnished room with board, for four gentlemen; all conveniences; $4 50 week.

JUNIATA ST., 1311—Roomers and boarders, bath, both gases; hot and cold water; meal tickets.

PALO ALTO ST., 1212, near parks—Mealers wanted; meal tickets, 21 meals, $3 50.

SANDUSKY ST., 822—Room and board, $5; meal tickets, 21 meals, $3.50.

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

City and Suburban.

COLWELL ST., 2021, city—Parlor furnished and two unfurnished rooms; young couple preferred.

REBECCA AVE., 1234, Wilkinsburg—Three large unfurnished housekeeping rooms; all conveniences.

SOUTH AVE., 411, Wilkinsburg—Four large unfurnished rooms; every convenience; desirable location.

WYLIE AVE., 909—Two unfurnished rooms, first floor, suitable for doctor or dentist.

East End.

CLAYBOURNE ST., 5514, Shadyside—Five large light unfurnished desirable rooms; $30 mo., all conveniences; min. to Roup Station.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms to married couple or two ladies, in new flat, Shadyside district. References. Address N 181, The Gazette.

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OAKWOOD ST., 570—Three very desirable unfurnished rooms; no children.

PARKER ST., 5849—Three unfurnished rooms; near all car lines.

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

Allegheny.

ALPINE AVE., 402—Two unfurnished rooms, first floor, for light housekeeping; range, gases, uses of laundry.

FREMONT ST., 1604—Three unfurnished rooms and bath; both gases; terms reasonable; no children.

NORTH AVE., 915—Near Grant.
Allegheny City.
Unfurnished room.
Second story front.
All conveniences.

OHIO ST., Cor. Cedar ave.—Two unfurnished rooms suitable for office; electric lights, all conveniences. Call between 3 and 5 p. m.

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD.

WANTED—Two furnished front rooms, second floor, with use of parlor and bath; in private family near Pennsylvania College for Women; good boarding near. J 200, The Gazette.

WANTED—One large room and alcove, Perrysville ave. near Western university, for men and wife, who will use own furniture; would like to get board in same house. Address Jacob Hermann, Ambridge, Pa.

FOUR furnished rooms for light housekeeping, between Craft ave. and Craig st., $30 to $40, by responsible couple of adults. Address M 185, The Gazette.

WANTED—Young lady desires comfortable heated room in East End; private family preferred. Address Box U 150, The Gazette.

FOR RENT.

City and Suburban Residences.

FOR RENT.
$15 00—5-room frame dwelling.
$20 00—New frame dwelling, 6 rooms and bath; Miller st., Knoxville.
$22 50—Flat of five rooms and bath, with all conveniences.
$27 50—8-room brick, all conveniences, 147 Julius st., E. E.
MORTGAGE BANKING COMPANY,
423 Fourth ave.

FOR RENT—3373 Webster avenue, desirable house, seven rooms, bath, laundry, gases, etc.; good neighborhood; possession October 1st. Reasonable rental. Commonwealth Real Estate Company, 327-329 Fourth avenue.

East End Residences.

TO LET—EAST END HOUSES.
Size 5 to 10 rooms.
Rent, $18 to $60 per month.
Send for printed list.
COMMONWEALTH REAL ESTATE CO.,
327 Fourth ave.

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LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
6128 Penn ave., East End.

FOR RENT—Rowan ave., brick house, 5 rooms and bath, front porch, $20. O'Donnell & Jenny, 6125 Penn ave.

SEND postal for complete rent list of East End houses, apartments and stores.
J. W. SHERRER, 6106 Penn ave.

Allegheny Residences.

FOR RENT.
$36—Cedar ave., flat 4 rooms; bath.
$35—South ave., house 10 rooms; water.
$35—Jackson st., flat 6 rooms; bath.
$30—Federal st., flat 4 rooms; bath.
$20—Manhattan st., house 7 rooms; water.
$20—Page st., house 5 rooms; hall.
$15—Robinson st., house 5 rooms; water.
T. C. ALLISON,
300 Federal st., Allegheny.

TEN-ROOM HOUSE, $25.
50 Windsor st., near Grant ave., Allegheny, 3-story brick, 10 rooms, reception hall, vestibule, bath, range, stationary tubs, etc. Reduced to $25 a month.
REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
311 FOURTH AVE.

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FOR RENT.

3 rooms, bath, gas	$10 00
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8-room house, bath, gas, range	27 00
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Location Very Desirable and Convenient.

Meadow st.—Four rooms	$25.00
Princeton place, near Station st.—Four rooms, steam heat and hot water free	27.50
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South St. Clair st., (Bet. Penn and Baum)—Six rooms; steam heat and hot water free	45.00
Penn ave. and Roup st. (Idaho building)—Six rooms; steam heat and hot water free	50.00
Pacific ave. (nr. Penn ave.)—Seven rooms, hardwood floors and finish; steam heat and hot water free	60.00
Dithridge st. Cor. Winthrop (Bet. Fifth ave. and Forbes)—Six rooms; steam heat and hot water free	60.00

A complete list of houses and apartments, with map of East End, will be mailed free upon request.
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Pittsburgh, Pa.

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FINEST APARTMENTS IN ALLEGHENY.
STRICTLY FIRE-PROOF BUILDING.
5 rooms, bath, sun parlor; modern in every respect; hot water, heat and janitor service.
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TO LET—Ward and Girty streets, Oakland. New three-room apartments with bath, range, gases, laundry, etc., rental $18 per month and upward. See
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Storerooms.

TO LET
SMITHFIELD STREET
Opposite Kaufmann's, 2 store rooms, immediate possession.
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OFFICES three squares from court house, large front rooms, all conveniences.
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Desk Room.

DESK ROOM—In light, cheerful, clean office, handsomely furnished; $8 per month, which includes light, heat, telephone, use of typewriter and janitor service.
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DESK ROOM on first floor; use of 'phone. 442 Fourth ave.

FOR SALE.

City and Suburban Residences.

$5,100—SHADYSIDE—$5,100.
Between Fifth and Ellsworth aves., good frame house of 7 rooms, bathroom, good cellar, both gases, etc. Lot 25x100 to alley.
BARR BROS. & CO.,
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FOR SALE—FOUR-ROOM HOUSES; lot 40x100, MILLVALE TERRACE, THE PRETTIEST PLACE in Allegheny county; price $1,000; $100 cash, balance $25 a month; take Millvale car, get off at Millvale Terrace, or see H. F. McGRADY, Room 208, No. 309 Fourth ave.

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MARCUS MAZER,
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East End Residences.

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Complete house of 12 rooms and three tile baths near corner Northumberland and Wightman sts.; first floor hardwood and all other paints to correspond; examination will prove that this house is offered $4,000 below cost of duplication. Always open for inspection.
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311 FOURTH AVE.

FOR SALE.

East End Residences.

FOR SALE.
$5,350 00—S. Lang ave.—Solid brick, 9 rooms, reception hall house; modern; lot 27x100; street paved.
$5,000 00—Mifflin st., Wilkinsburg—Modern frame house of 8 rooms, bath, etc.; lot 35x156.
$5,500 00—Homewood ave., near Bennet st.—Frame store and dwelling; lot 22½x120 to alley.
$8,000 00—Hays st., near Euclid ave.—Brick dwelling, 10 rooms, reception hall, heated by hot water; lot 30x100.
LIBERTY REAL ESTATE TRUST CO.,
6128 Penn ave., E. E.

NEW 10-room brick house, 217 Lathrop st., Oakland, near Fifth ave.; house and surroundings ideal; low price; inspection invited. J. M. Wanner Co., 609 Times bldg.

Farms.

FOR SALE—Fine farm, 700 acres; price $600; cash $100, balance ten years. E. E. Murphy, Goodland, Kan.

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Lands and Acreage.

TWO large farms; only 10 miles from East Liberty; situated in Plum township; houses, barns, etc., in No. 1 condition; fine orchards; good quality and quantity of timber and coal; close to improved country road; plenty of good water; terms easy. Robert Niblock, 5818 Hays st., East End.

Lots.

FOR SALE—Finest building sites on Perrysville and Marshall aves.; lines and restrictions established; big rebates on lots sold before October 1. Call 1106 Arrott Bldg.; 'phone Court 210.

Timber Land.

FOR SALE—65 acres of timber, together with a good sawmill complete; is within a short distance of Pittsburgh and within one-half mile of two railroads and right in the coal region; if you are in the market for timber don't miss this opportunity, as it will not be open long. Wm. M. Craig, 7632 Frankstown ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Telephone, 2370 Highland.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR EXCHANGE—Good clear lots in good locality; will exchange for small houses or for a farm and assume mortgage or pay some cash; state specifically what you have for exchange. Address M 200, The Gazette.

Business Opportunities.

MILK ROUTE—Old-established route; one of the best in city; sales 75 to 80 gallons daily; selected trade; can increase 20 gallons per day by adding milk depot; good horse, wagon, ice box, etc.; owner has other business; price only $800; we consider this the best route we have ever had on our list.
Act promptly. It will soon be gone.

RESTAURANT—Well established stand; corner location; business section of city; completely equipped, including first-class furnishment 10 rooms; long lease, reasonable rental; receipts average $50 per day; present owner has been in this stand for 6 years; death in family reason for sale; look this up; a rare bargain at $2,750.

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MEAT MARKET—Well-located stand; Twenty-third ward; nice shop; reasonable rent; present sales over $25 per day and increasing; this is a rare bargain at $450; investigate quickly.

BUTTER AND EGG STORE—Attractive place, good business street in city; fine, large room; low rent; sales $150 per week; handles teas, coffees, etc.; good opening for poultry and oysters; will invoice more than price, $700.
MILLS-SLAUGENHOUPT CO.,
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SALOON—Leading saloon in one of the best manufacturing towns; located 47 miles from Pittsburgh; this place is at the present time doing a business of $40 to $45 a day, and when the mills were running it was doing a business of $100 a day; fine fixtures; stock on hand about $1,500; rent $60 per month; 6 living rooms; 4-year lease; has been in the same location for 20 years; price $4,000.
HOWICK-THOMPSON CO.,
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IF YOU WANT to buy or sell any kind of business, see CAVANAGH CO., 431 Fourth ave.

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550-light dynamo and engine connected.
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GASOLINE YACHTS COMPLETE.
316—The FAIRBANKS CO.—318 Second ave.
Second-hand 1-2 Charter, 1-6 F. M. & Co., 1 35-H. P. Otto.
Vertical and Horizontal.
All sizes—Pumping Engines—All purposes.

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NEW DROP-HEAD SEWING MACHINES.
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The IMPROVED DOMESTIC sewing machine with CHAIN AND LOCK STITCH. Domestic office LOCATED AT
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JUST RECEIVED—This morning 35 head of good fresh Ohio cows, which will be sold cheap this week at the South Side Cow Exchange, by Seigfried Jacob, 82 and 84 Allen ave., 31st ward, Pittsburgh.

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LARGEST STOCK of typewriters in city; prices lowest; rentals $3 and up. Philadelphia Typewriter and Supply Co., 223-4 Lewis Blk.

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REMOVED—STABLES
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A CHOICE LOT OF CANADIAN COBS are at our stables for retail trade; come and look at them. Pittsburgh Horse & Mule Exchange, First ave. and Grant st.

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PIANO OPPORTUNITY—$450 upright, guaranteed; cover, stool, little used; must sell; $150, delivered. Linderman, Box 832, Pittsburgh.

Bar Fixtures.

FOR SALE—Bar fixtures, counters, desks, refrigerators, chairs, stools and pool tables. Delp's, Fourth and Liberty.

Furniture.

PARLOR, bedroom and dining room suites; goods can be seen any afternoon after 2 o'clock. Owner leaving city; no dealers. 1836 Fayette st., Allegheny, first floor.

FOR SALE—Dresser, dining table, beds, chairs. 6540 Meadow st., East End.

Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE—Billiard tables, new and second-hand. We lead the world in cheap bar fixtures. Easy payments. Brunswick-Balke-Collender, 109 Smithfield st.

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Protect your house with good paint put on by a trustworthy painter.
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711 Forbes st. Both Telephones.

FOR SALE—Steel restaurant ranges and broilers, copper steam table, coffee urn at cost to close out. Weldon & Kelly Company, Wood st.

H. C. KNAPP, commercial pob printer, 3521 Butler st. Both telephones.

LEGAL NOTICES.

FRED W. SCOTT, Attorney-at-Law, 401-402 Bakewell building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Court of common pleas No. 2, Allegheny county, ss., state of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 1,454 October term, 1904, on Saturday, October 15, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., by W. H. Zeigler, S. R. Cooke, Thomas B. Moffat, Thomas L. Bryant, Geo. L. Miller and H. M. Schultz, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Purity Council No. 554, Junior Order United American Mechanics, the character and object of which is maintaining and promoting the interests of Americans: 1st, by assisting American mechanics in obtaining employment; 2d, by encouraging them in business; 3d, by establishing a sick and funeral fund by contributions made to said fund by members of this corporation; 4th, by maintaining the public school system of the United States of America, and preventing sectarian interference therewith, and upholding the reading of the Holy Bible therein, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office. Fred W. Scott, Solicitor.

H. I. RILEY, Attorney-at-Law, Bakewell Law building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Court of common pleas No. 1, Allegheny county, ss., state of Pennsylvania. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to said court at No. 138 December term, 1904, on Saturday, October 15, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., by Wm. H. Francis, Wm. F. Ehmen, Louis Ebert, Christ Link, J. A. St. Clair and others, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Allegheny Beneficial Association, the character and object of which is for the maintenance of a society for beneficial and protective purposes to its members from funds collected therein, giving support to its members in case of sickness or accident and affording burial in cases of death, the payment of death benefits to deceased members' families, or other purposes designated, and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. The above application is now on file in the prothonotary's office. H. I. Riley, Solicitor.

REED, SMITH, SHAW & BEAL, Attorneys-at-Law, room 1027 Carnegie building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the governor of Pennsylvania on Wednesday, October 12, 1904, by J. G. Evans, J. E. Reany and H. M. Boas, under the act of assembly entitled "An act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, for the charter of an intended corporation to be called Florida Water Company, the character and object of which is supplying water to the public in the borough of Glenfield, Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, and to such persons, partnerships and corporations residing therein as may desire the same; and for these purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said act of assembly and supplements thereto. Reed, Smith, Shaw & Beal, Solicitors.

N. W. SHAFER, attorney-at-law, 902 Frick bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa. State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss. In the court of common pleas No. 2. No. 2 January term, 1904. Elsie A. Thomas, by her next friend, Adam H. Porter, vs. Reese Thomas. In divorce a vinculo matrimonii. To Reese Thomas, respondent: You will please take notice that the above case has been put at issue and that testimony will be taken and the case tried by the said court at the Allegheny county court house, Pittsburgh, Pa., on Monday, October 10, 1904, at 9:30 o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as suits the convenience of the court, when and where you may attend if you see proper. N. W. Shafer, attorney for libellant.

KINNEAR, M'CLOSKEY & BEST, Attorneys-at-Law, No. 703 Bank for Savings building, Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Margareth E. Wightman, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. The Colonial Trust Company, Administrator. No. 317 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOHN A. WILSON, Attorney-at-Law, No. 1422 Park building. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Mrs. Margaret Walker, deceased, late of Collier township, Allegheny county, Pa., have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. William S. Walker, administrator, Carnegie, Pa.

C. W. DAHLINGER, attorney-at-law, No. 518 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa. Notice is hereby given that letters of administration D. B. N., C. T. A., on the estate of Ellen Forrester, deceased, late of Allegheny county, have been granted to the undersigned, to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay. Chalmers M. King, administrator, D. B. N. C. T. A., No. 1512 Chartiers st., Allegheny, Pa.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS will be received by the undersigned until September 23, 1904, at 3 p. m. for the macadamizing of Frederick avenue from Broad street to Ferry street, in the borough of Sewickley, with the following approximate quantities:

2,000 cubic yards excavation, 4,500 square yards macadam, 1,300 square yards brick gutter and crossings, 240 lineal feet curb furnished and set, 800 lineal feet curb reset, 1,000 lineal feet curb redressed, 800 lineal feet curb redressed in place, 250 lineal feet cast iron gutter box.

Also for the macadamizing of Division street from Blackburn avenue to a point near the borough line, with the following approximate quantities:

2,500 cubic yards excavation, 2,250 square yards macadam, 1,300 square yards brick gutters and crossings, 400 lineal feet curb furnished and set, 500 lineal feet curb reset, 200 lineal feet curb redressed, 250 lineal feet curb redressed in place, 119 lineal feet cast iron gutter box.

Also for the construction of a sewer on Chadwick avenue from a point 329 feet west of Chestnut street to connect with the present sewer at River avenue, with the following approximate quantities:

280 feet of 10-inch vitrified sewer pipe, 54 feet of 8-inch vitrified sewer pipe, 160 feet of 6-inch vitrified sewer pipe, 1 flush tank to rebuild, 2 manholes, 10 feet average cut.

Plans and specifications may be seen on application to the undersigned.

A certified check for 10 per cent of the amount of the bid must accompany each proposal.

The borough reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

DAVID H. CAMPBELL,
Borough Engineer,
514 Broad street, Sewickley, Pa.

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We have just received notice of $37,500 of trust funds to loan on mortgages at 5 per cent.
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INDIVIDUAL LOANS on first and second mortgages. Collaterals; no delay. Box 1696.

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PERSONALS.

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BETTER THAN ATLANTIC CITY
Is the amount of good received to health by taking a trip on the Allegheny, Perrysville and Wexford U. S. Mail; also livery stable in connection at end and West View car line. J. O'Neil Express, 813-815 West Diamond st., Allegheny. Tel. 453 North.

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PERSONAL—Any poor girl in trouble, needing friends or home call on or write to Matron Salvation Army Rescue Home, 705 Grandview ave., Mt. Washington, Pittsburgh, Pa.

PERSONAL—Reliable watch repairing; cash paid for old gold. CHRIST HAUCH, 541 Smithfield st., Pittsburgh.

BENTS' DESTROYER kills lice on children; death to all insects; cures dandruff and falling hair; harmless, 25c. at May's, 506 Market st.

LOST.

LOST—Saturday last, pocketbook containing papers and whiskey certificates of no value to anyone but owner. Suitable reward will be given to the person returning same to 20 Diamond square, Pittsburgh, Pa.

LOST—In Pittsburgh Saturday afternoon, black pocketbook, containing money and card with owner's name; party finding same return to office of Chronicle Telegraph.

LOST—A lady's open face gold watch and fob near Liberty street and Sixth avenue on Saturday morning. Any person returning these to 701 Penn building will be rewarded.

LOST—A small Scotch terrier dog, black; weight about 20 pounds; reward will be paid for return to E. M. Byers, 905 Ridge ave., Allegheny.

LOST—Brown horse, weighing about 1,250 lbs.; dinge on right hip; $20 reward if returned to Max Meris, Braddock, Pa.

LOST—A white bulldog, weight about 35 lbs.; reward. C. C. SHANAHAN, corner Magee and Ann sts.

MEETINGS.

AMERICAN STEEL FOUNDRIES.
ANNUAL MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the Second Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the American Steel Foundries will be held at the principal office of the corporation, No. 15 Exchange place, in the city of Jersey City, county of Hudson, state of New Jersey, on Tuesday, the fourth day of October, 1904, at twelve o'clock noon, to consider and vote upon the approval and ratification of all accounts, contracts, acts, by-laws, proceedings, elections and appointments by the board of directors, executive committee, or the officers of the corporation since the last annual meeting of stockholders, the election of directors, and the transaction of any and all business that may come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Monday, the 12th day of September, 1904, and will be reopened on the morning of Wednesday, the 4th day of October, 1904.

F. E. PATTERSON, Secretary.
Jersey City, New Jersey, September 7, 1904.

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AUCTION SALES.

AUCTION SALE.
The entire furnishment, 50 rooms, Furniture, Carpets, Linoleum, Pictures, Curtains, piano, Hallrack, Dishes and Glassware, Bedding, etc., at the rooms, 12, 14 and 16 Eighth st., Pittsburgh, Wednesday, Sept. 21, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Owing to the house being torn down, we are compelled to sell everything; 50 Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Pillows and Bedding, Pictures, Curtains, Piano, Leather Parlor Furniture, two large Hallracks, Dining Room Tables and Chairs, Dishes and Glassware, Office Furniture, Clocks and Ornaments, Brussels and Velvet Carpets, about 1,000 yards of Linoleum; Stoves and Radiators. Sale positive as we are compelled to vacate building.
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1104 Keystone Bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

DANCING ACADEMY.

BRAUN'S Private School of Dancing. Twenty-second season will open, advanced class, Saturday, September 17; beginners' class Monday, September 19; juvenile class, Saturday afternoon, September 17. Director W. F. Braun, president International Association masters of dancing. The Auditorium, 200 to 214 South Highland ave. Bell 'phone 9035 Highland.

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Shorthand reporters, typewriters and graphophone operators; mimeographing, notary public; evening engagements. Bell 'phone Court 3193-W.; Highland 263-R. 528 Fourth ave.

IRREGULAR LOSSES MARK STOCK DEALINGS IN EAST

Market Sags Perceptibly, but With Frequent Pauses and Rallies—Amalgamated Copper Advances Rapidly—Local Stocks Generally Decline.

Prices of stocks lost ground again yesterday on the New York stock exchange and there was a decided shrinkage in the volume of business. This was partly attributable to the occurrence of the important Jewish holiday of Yom Kippur, the observance of which kept a large element away from the session of the stock exchange. The sagging movement of stocks was not precipitate and was made irregularly and with frequent pauses and rallies. The appearance of weakness was most acute at the time the corn market was strongest, giving a suggestion of the factor of greatest influence on sentiment.

The movement in both markets was not based on immediate news developments, but on the appearance of estimates of the volume of the crop by experts who have won some following in the course of the recent active speculation in wheat and in stocks. These estimates were of a total crop of less than 2,000,000,000 bushels, compared with a crop indicated by the government's figures of September 1, of 2,491,000,000 bushels.

There was increasing discussion also of the money outlook based on the Saturday bank statement. The effect of this statement was a 2 per cent rate for call loans and a firmer tone for time loans for the shorter periods. With the surplus reserve cut in two in three weeks and the larger parts of the crop moving demands yet to be met it is obvious that an early contraction of the loan accommodations of New York banks must be enforced. Confidence is felt that this may be done without stringency of money, but it remains true that the money that loans at 1 per cent and under on the stock exchange for speculative purposes is what would otherwise of necessity lie idle in bank vaults and is in consequence the first to be called in. Thus it almost invariably follows from the first contraction of bank loans that some liquidation comes up on the stock market.

Sterling exchange ran off yesterday in response to the firmer money market, but discounts also hardened and gold rose in London and the Statist warns the London market that it cannot expect continuance of the present extreme ease of money there if New York calls for gold, as indicated by the movement of exchange. Interior banks are drawing on New York deposits for meeting obligations to government, thus accounting for the continued large drain of the subtreasury operations.

The harvesting period and the crop uncertainty still have an effect on railroad traffic after the crops are harvested. Earnings for the second week of the month show some mixed results, but the southwesterns reporting yesterday showed good increases over last year. The fact, as commented upon, that the Missouri, Kansas & Texas annual report, like that of the St. Paul last week, shows increase in expenses, is more than accounted for by the higher cost of operation, although expenditures for maintenance are somewhat cut down.

Current opinion on the outlook for steel trade revival was not so sanguine as last week, while some very hopeful views of the copper trade were heard in connection with the vigorous advance in Amalgamated Copper. The closing was very dull and heavy, but above the lowest.

The bond market was easy. Total sales, par value, $3,425,000. United States 3s advanced ¼ per cent on call.

Local stocks were active yesterday. The list as a whole showed fractional declines, although there were a couple of prominent stocks which rose slightly. These were Pittsburgh Brewing common which closed at 24⅞, an advance of ⅞, and National Fire Proofing preferred, which advanced ¾, closing at 31. The dealings in seven stocks exceeded 300 shares. Both of the Crucible issues were slightly lower, although there was no heavy pressure of selling on either. The United States Steel issues also suffered, following the tendency of the New York market. There was but one sale on the bank stock call. Colonial Trust, which reached $340 on a sale of one share last week, held that price on the sale of a block of five shares. Pittsburgh Coal scrip dividend advanced ¼ to 103¼.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

50 F. Proof pfd.	30⅝	$105 Pgh. Coal div. scrip.	103¼%
15 do.	30⅜	10 Brewing com.	24⅞
50 do.	30½	50 F. Proof com.	9¼
50 do.	30½	50 do.	9¼
20 do.	30⅝	100 do.	9⅜
20 U.S. Stl. com.	17½	100 U. S. Stl. pfd.	68⅝
100 do.	17½		

10:30 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

5 Crucible com.	6¼	100 F. Proof com.	9⅜
10 do.	6¼	100 U.S. Stl. com.	17¼
30 do.	6½	200 do.	17
115 do.	6½	10 P. Coal pfd.	61½
3 U.S. Stl. pfd.	67½	10 do.	61½
200 do.	67⅝	50 do.	61¼
100 do.	67⅝	15 do.	61½
50 F. Proof pfd.	30⅝	10 do.	61½
50 do.	30⅝	50 Electric 2nds.	81
50 do.	30½	100 do.	81
15 do.	30½	140 Peo. Pipage	23
50 do.	30½	60 M. L. & H.	35¾
100 F. Proof com.	9⅛	5 Colonial Tr.	340
100 do.	9⅜		

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

100 U.S. Stl. com.	17⅛	125 Crucible pfd.	40½
20 F. Proof pfd.	30½	75 do.	40¼
30 do.	30⅝	15 Crucible com.	6½
25 U.S. Stl pfd.	68⅛	100 do.	6⅜
10 Brewing pfd.	45⅛	40 F. Proof com.	9⅜
50 Crucible pfd.	40¾	10 M. L. & H.	35¾
75 do.	40¾	20 do.	35¾

2:00 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

100 Crucible com.	6¼	25 Brewing com.	24¾
100 do.	6¼	280 do.	24¾
40 do.	6¼	50 do.	24¾
5 do.	6¼	5 do.	24¾
$1000 P. McK. & C. 5s.	99¼	20 do.	24⅞
$1000 Con. Gas 5s.	108½	50 do.	24⅞
100 Brewing com.	24¾	25 do.	24⅞
50 do.	24¾	25 U.S. Stl. com.	17½
75 do.	24¾	15 F. Proof pfd.	31
10 do.	24¾	50 F. Proof com.	9¼

Summary.

Shares.	High.	Low.	Last Sales.	Ch'ge.
700 Brewing	24⅞	24¾	24⅞	+⅞
10 Do preferred.	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	—⅛
520 Crucible Steel.	6½	6¼	6¼	—¼
325 Do preferred.	40¾	40½	40½	—⅜
590 Fire Proofing.	9½	9¼	9¼	—⅛
465 Do preferred.	31	30⅝	31	+¾
90 M. L. & H.	35¾	35¾	35¾	0
140 Peoples Pipage.	23	23	23	0
95 Pgh. Coal pfd.	61½	61½	61½	—¼
545 U. S. Steel.	17½	17	17½	—¼
428 Do preferred.	68⅝	*67½	68⅛	—⅜
150 W. Elec. 2ds.	81	81	81	—¾
BANK STOCKS.				
5 Colonial Trust.	340	340	340	0
4063				
BONDS.				
$1000 Con. Gas 5s.	108½	108½	108½	+1¼
1000 P., McK. & C. 5s.	99¼	99¼	99¼	—½
$2000				
SCRIP.				
$105 P. Coal pf. div.	103¼	103¼	103¼	+¼

*Less than 10 shares.

Closing Bids and Offers.

STOCKS.	Par.	Bid.	Ask.
Cosmopolitan National	100	100	....
Federal National	100	180	....
German National, Pittsburgh	100	....	240
Lincoln National	50	240	....
Western Savings & Deposit	50	112½	....
Iron & Glass Dollar Savings	100	....	300
Merchants Savings & Trust	50	....	57
Allegheny Trust, Allegheny	100	130	....
Manufacturers Light & Heat	50	35⅝	35⅞
Ohio Fuel Supply	25	38	....
Union Natural Gas	100	87	....
Peoples Pipage	25	23	25
Luster Mining	10	12	12¼
Pleasant Valley Traction	25	26	....
Allegheny Valley R. R. pfd.	50	24½	25
Westinghouse Electric Assent	50	80⅜	....
Monongahela Incline Plane	50	62	....
American Window Glass pfd.	100	25	....
Consolidated Ice	50	5½	....
C. D. & P. Telegraph	100	122½	....
Crucible Steel	100	6⅛	6¼
Do preferred	100	40¼	40¾
Duquesne Brewing	100	75	100
Monongahela River Coal pfd.	50	....	22
Marsden	100	3⅜	4⅛
National Fire Proofing	50	9¼	9½
Do preferred	50	30¾	31
Philadelphia Co.	50	41½	41¾
Pittsburgh Brewing	50	24⅝	24⅞
Do preferred	50	45	45⅛
Pittsburgh Coal	100	13⅝	13⅞
Do preferred	100	61¼	61½
Pgh. Stove & Range pfd.	50	....	15
Union Switch & Signal	50	....	70½
United States Glass	100	37	....
United States Steel	100	....	17⅝
Do preferred	100	68¼	....
Westinghouse Airbrake	50	130	....
American Sewer Pipe	100	21½	21¾
Pittsburgh Trolley Pole	100	110	....
BONDS.			
Duquesne Traction 5s	....	113⅛	....
Pgh., McK. & Conn. 1st 5s	....	99¼	100
Consolidated Gas 5s	....	108	....
Pittsburgh Junction 6s	....	119⅝	121

PIG IRON WARRANTS.

Class.	Bid.	Ask.
A—November delivery	$13.00	$13.80
B—November delivery	12.55	12.75
D—November delivery	12.70	12.95
D—September delivery	12.60	....
D—October delivery	12.60	....
A—October delivery	13.75	13.85
A—September delivery	13.70	13.85

Small Lots of Bank Stocks.

Below are quotations on bank stocks on blocks of less than the quotable 50 shares:

	Bid.	Asked.
Merchants S. & T.	55	...
Iron and Glass Dollar Sav.	...	300
Colonial Trust	337	350
German-American S. & T.	156	157
Fourth National	...	160
Equitable Trust	...	170
Allegheny National	120	...
Mortgage Banking	...	100
Federal National	180	185
German Trust	...	150
Cosmopolitan National	100	...
Lincoln National	240	...
Central National, Wilkinsburg	...	155
Industrial National	...	122
Home Trust	115	...
Guarantee T. & T.	...	180
North American Savings	...	109
Diamond National	...	425
Diamond Savings	...	200
Homewood People's	50	...
*Franklin S. & T.	50	50
Iron City Trust	117	...
Monongahela National	...	300
Duquesne National	...	290
Keystone	...	350

*Ten shares offered at 50 and 50 bid for five shares.

Panhandle Net for August Larger.

The estimated gross earnings, expenses and net earnings of The Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway Company for August, and for the eight months ended August 31, 1904, as compared with the corresponding period of 1903, follow:

AUGUST.	Decrease.
Gross earnings	$136,934 26
Operating expenses	230,945 31
Net earnings	$*94,011 05
JANUARY 1 TO AUGUST 31.	
Gross earnings	$656,339 74
Operating expenses	419,517 28
Net earnings	$236,822 46

*Increase.

It will be seen by this report that the August net earnings show a very considerable increase, although the loss in the year to date is still large. The heavy reduction in operating expenses helps the August statement materially.

Air Brake Profits Continue Large.

The abstract of financial statements of the Westinghouse Airbrake Company for the fiscal year ending July 31, 1904, shows that the company's year has been one of large profits despite the smaller business done. It follows:

EARNINGS AND EXPENSES.

Earnings—		
Net sales brake account	$ 5,082,844 37	
Gross income other sources	857,109 73	
		$ 5,939,954 10
Expenses—		
Shop, cost of product sold	$ 3,061,861 91	
General and other expenses	513,911 81	
		$ 3,575,773 72
Special charges (account of depreciation, etc.)—		
Plant, property and accounts receivable	26,022 08	
Total charges	$ 3,601,795 80	
Credit balance—		
Credit to general profit and loss account	$ 2,338,158 30	
		$ 5,939,954 10

GENERAL BALANCE SHEET.

Assets—		
Cash on hand	$ 2,102,182 78	
Accounts and bills receivable	2,415,097 79	
Railway and other securities	1,687,745 31	
Stock in associated companies	2,398,841 72	
Patents at capital appraisement	2,000,000 00	
Wilmerding plant (including general office and sundries)	2,116,250 66	
Real estate (including Westinghouse building)	1,700,000 00	
Factory stores (including material, supplies, stock and finished stores)	1,507,101 23	
		$15,927,219 49
Liabilities—		
Capital stock	$10,930,450 00	
Rebates and accounts payable	746,734 26	
Depreciation reserve fund	275,906 01	
General profit and loss account—		
Bal. July 31, '03. $3,993,869 92		
Pft. for fis. yr. 2,338,158 30		
Total $6,332,028 22		
Less div. acct. 2,417,899 00	3,914,129 22	$15,927,219 49

FEATURES OF THE DAY

IN PITTSBURGH.

Local stocks are slow to follow declining tendency of New York market.

Brewing common and Fireproof preferred advance on large buying orders.

Steel stocks decline fractionally.

Total dealings for the day were 4,063 shares.

Bank exchanges were $5,453,086.28.

IN WALL STREET.

Restricted sales and irregular declines are partly caused by important Jewish holiday.

Amalgamated Copper advances vigorously.

Low estimate of corn crop affects dealings.

Two per cent rate for call loans results from Saturday's bank statement.

Steel stocks are not so well held as during last week.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

The following letter was mailed yesterday to stockholders of the Westinghouse Airbrake Company in connection with the abstract of earnings:

"During this period the limited purchases by railway companies of new equipment and current supplies caused a reduction of 40 per cent in the net sales of brake apparatus as compared with the previous year, while the reduction in net earnings was less, being 31 per cent, due to economy of operation and an increase in income from other sources.

"Following our usual policy on account of diminished business, it was deemed advisable in March to reduce the extra dividend from 3½ per cent to 2½ per cent, this with the regular 2½ per cent making the quarterly dividend at the annual rate of 20 per cent in place of 24 per cent last year.

"Experimental work done during the past year in the development of new and improved brake devices has been extensive and important. Its cost, as heretofore, has been charged to expense, but the results already attained are so promising that any depreciation of the patent account by reason of approaching expirations has been postponed.

"The interest previously acquired by this company in the inventions of Mr. George Westinghouse pertaining to the multiple control operation of motors of railway trains with a view to the manufacture of the electro-pneumatic devices used in this connection was recently sold to the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company at a net profit to this company of $330,000. This transaction, however, was not completed in time to appear in the current statement.

"As explained last year, a depreciation reserve fund of $300,000 was set aside to guard against a possible shrinkage of inventory values through decrease in the price of purchased material. For this reason stated between July 31, 1903, and July 31, 1904, there was a reduction in the cost value of certain apparatus carried in stock approximating $24,000, which has been charged to that fund. Other depreciation charges aggregating $26,022 08 have been approved, which corresponds closely to the action taken last year in this regard."

The annual meeting will be held at Wilmerding at 1:30 p. m. October 4.

Estimates of the year's corn crop occupied much of the attention of the traders in grain yesterday. The one that attracted especial interest was that made by H. V. Jones, whose former predictions have established for him a reputation for accuracy. His estimate is 1,900,000,000 bushels. The wide discrepancy between that of the government and Mr. Jones' estimate was noted by all. The government's estimate was 2,491,000,000 bushels. Mr. Snow's estimate was 2,275,600,000. One of the Pittsburgh brokers made an average of the three and found that 2,222,000,000 was the mean. John Inglis also has issued a statement saying that he does not believe the crop can exceed 2,000,000,00 bushels, and gives figures for three states showing large decreases in Missouri and Kansas and a considerable increase in Nebraska.

To what extent the crop is still liable to frost damage cannot be told accurately. It is claimed by some that the bulk of the corn is already so well ripened that no serious hurt can be done it. Others say that wide areas are in imminent danger.

The action of the billet and bar associations, or "pools," as they are popularly termed, here yesterday was practically what had been expected. If anything, even more radical reductions had been forecasted. Perhaps the most significant feature of the meeting is that it is the last of the series held within the past month by the manufacturers in almost all lines of iron and steel production. The placing of billets at $19 50 may be taken either as a compromise measure or as an indication that the steel market has strengthened in the week or two since $19 was regarded as the market price.

The announcement yesterday of the election of Edwin Hawley to the directorate of the Western Pacific Railroad Company is considered of import. Mr. Hawley is believed by this step to be entering into an association with the Gould interests. His own railroads in the central west are important ones and in connection with the Gould lines would make additional feeders for the new line to the Pacific coast.

THE MONEY MARKET.

The local money market is steady at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

	Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday	$5,453,686 28	$1,097,977 56
Same day last week	5,982,233 69	1,534,938 87
Same day last year	6,230,211 21	1,551,757 45

Banks and the Treasury.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—In redemption of checks drawn by depositors of gold at the San Francisco and Seattle assay offices, today's official records show that the sub-treasury paid out Saturday $30,025. Of this amount $6,958 had been deposited at San Francisco, and $33,067 at Seattle. Total thus paid since Friday $150,023, against $275,609 for the same period a week ago. Total payment by government to New York banks for the day $2,859,000. Payment by banks to government $3,771,000. Balance on the day's transactions, $912,000 paid by banks to government. Total net payment by banks to government since Friday, $1,257,000, against $2,131,000 similarly paid for the corresponding period a week ago, and $700,000 paid by government to banks a year ago. Included in the foregoing summary is $100,000 deposited by banks with the sub-treasury for payment at interior points. Total thus deposited since Friday, $1,000,000, against $1,500,000 a week ago.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—Today's statement of the treasury balances in the general fund exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve in the division of redemption shows: Available cash balance, $149,593,113; gold, $59,595,366; silver, $23,076,908; United States notes, $11,314,442; treasury notes of 1890, $98,487; national bank notes, $17,914,872; total receipts this day, $2,168,106; total receipts this month, $24,428,892; total receipts this year, $120,118,671; total expenditures this day, $1,770,000; total expenditures this month, $26,360,000; total expenditures this year, $141,800,719; deposits in national banks, $122,079,330.

Standard Investment Bonds.

The Colonial Trust Company, No. 317 Fourth ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., has for sale a variety of bonds yielding the purchaser from 3½ to 6 per cent, which it recommends as desirable investments. Inquire of Alexander C. Thomp-

COMPLETE RECORD OF NEW YORK STOCKS

Daily range of prices reported by Messrs. Henry Sproul & Co., Peoples Savings Bank building, members of New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh and Chicago stock exchanges and Chicago board of trade.

ACTIVE LIST.

Sales.	STOCKS.	Open	High	Low.	Close Bid.
16200	A., T. & S. F.	81⅝	82	81¼	81⅝
500	Do preferred	99	99	98¾	98¼
1000	Amer. Cotton Oil	34	34⅜	34	33½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
	Amer. Sugar Ref.	131	131¼	130½	131
	Do preferred	....	....	....	131½
4900	Am. Locomotive	27⅛	27¼	26½	26¾
700	Do preferred	97⅜	97½	97⅛	97¼
700	Amer. Car F'dry	23¼	23¼	22¾	22⅞
100	Do preferred	81½	81½	81½	81
	American Can	....	....	....	4¾
	Do preferred	....	....	....	48
57900	Amal. Copper	58	59½	58	58⅞
6500	Anaconda Copper	93	94½	92	94
2300	Am. Smelt. & Ref.	65⅝	65⅝	65¼	65¼
400	Do preferred	107⅝	107⅝	107	107
500	American Ice	....	....	....	....
	Do preferred	26⅛	28½	26⅛	26¼
6300	Balto. & Ohio	88⅝	89	88	88½
100	Do preferred	94⅛	94⅛	94⅛	94
7600	Brook. Rap. Tran.	55¼	55⅜	54⅜	54¾
	Canada Southern	....	....	....	67¾
1400	Canadian Pacific	127	127	126⅞	127
1800	Chic. Great W.	16⅜	16⅜	16⅛	16⅛
2000	Consolidated Gas	203	204½	203	203½
100	C., C., C. & S. L.	80¾	80¾	80¾	80½
4800	Ches. & Ohio	43⅛	43⅛	42½	42¾
100	Chicago & Alton	41	41	41	39½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	84
100	Chicago & N. W.	187	187	187	187
700	Col. Fuel & Iron	34⅛	35	33½	34¾
500	Corn Products	14⅞	14⅞	14½	14¼
100	Do preferred	70½	70½	70½	70¼
[illegible]	Colorado South	17¼	19½	17	18⅛
2300	Do 1st pfd	50¼	51½	50	51½
4700	Do 2d pfd	24⅞	27½	24¾	27
	Del., Lack. & W.	....	....	....	278
200	Del. & Hudson	166¾	167¼	166¾	167
18000	Erie	31	31¼	30¼	31
1600	Do 1st pfd	67½	67½	67	67¼
1000	Do 2d pfd	46	46	45	45⅞
300	General Electric	170½	170½	170	169½
500	Hocking Valley	80¼	80¼	80	80
200	Do preferred	87½	87½	87	86
1300	Illinois Central	139	139	138½	138½
1200	Internat. Paper	17¾	17¾	16¾	17¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	75
	L. E. & W.	....	....	....	32
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90
3800	Louis. & Nash	123½	123½	122	122½
600	Manhattan	153½	153½	153¼	153
9300	Missouri Pacific	98	98¼	97½	97⅝
2100	M., K. & T.	24⅛	24⅛	23¾	24
1300	Do preferred	47⅞	47⅞	47½	47¾
6300	Metropolitan	122	122	121⅛	121½
2500	Do securities	80¼	80½	79⅜	80⅜
3700	Mexican Central	14	14	13⅝	13¾
700	National Lead	24¼	24⅜	23⅞	24
	Do preferred	96	96½	96	95½
	National Biscuit	....	....	....	47½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	108½
	N. Y. Airbrake	....	....	....	138
1500	N. Y. Central	127¼	127¼	126¼	126½
	N. J. Central	180	180	180	179
1900	N. Y., O. & W.	32⅞	33⅛	32¾	32⅞
1800	Norfolk & W.	68⅞	69	68½	69
	Do preferred	....	....	....	90½
	North Am. Co.	....	....	....	91
200	Peoples Gas	102¼	102¼	102¼	102¾
400	Pacific Mail	32¼	32¼	32	31½
	Pullman	....	....	....	217
300	Pr. Steel Car	33	33	32⅝	32⅝
	Do preferred	....	....	....	79¾
53700	Penna. R. R.	131¼	131½	130¼	130⅝
	P., C., C. & St. L.	....	....	....	70
	Do preferred	....	....	....	101½
	Railway Springs	24	24	23½	23½
	Do preferred	....	....	....	80
40600	Reading	66⅝	66¾	65⅝	65⅞
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	85½
500	Do 2d pfd	76	76	76	76
10700	Rock Island	27½	27¾	27⅜	27½
500	Do preferred	71½	71½	71	70¾
1500	Republic Iron	8⅝	8⅝	8½	8½
100	Do preferred	....	....	....	43
11500	Southern Pacific	56	56	55¼	55⅝
16600	Southern Ry.	32¾	33	32⅜	32⅝
800	Do preferred	95¾	96	95⅝	95½
15900	St. Paul	157¼	157⅝	156½	157
	Do preferred	....	....	....	182¼
400	St. L. & S'w	21	21	21	21
2400	Do preferred	44⅛	44¾	43¾	44
2500	Tenn. C. & I.	48½	48½	47¾	48
3200	Tex. & Pacific	31½	31½	30⅞	31¼
1200	Tol., St. L. & W.	32½	33	32	32¼
1960	Do preferred	52½	53	51⅞	51¾
48800	U. S. Steel	17¼	17¾	17	17¼
66000	Do preferred	68¼	68⅝	67½	67¾
	Do 2s 5% bds.	81¾	81¾	81	81⅝
19300	Union Pacific	97⅝	98	97	97½
100	Do preferred	93	93	93	91½
100	U. S. Rubber	20	20	20	19¾
200	Do preferred	74	74	74	74
7300	U. S. Leather	9⅝	9⅝	9⅛	9⅜
800	Do preferred	86¾	87	86½	86½
	U. S. R. & C.	....	....	....	52¼
	Wabash	....	....	....	21⅛
3200	Do preferred	41⅝	41⅞	41¼	41⅜
500	W. U. Telegraph	91¾	91¾	91½	91½
	Wheeling & L. E.	....	....	....	17½
	Do 1st pfd	....	....	....	44
	Do 2d pfd	....	....	....	25
800	Wis. Central	19½	19¾	19⅛	19¼
500	Do preferred	43⅞	43⅞	43⅛	43¼
200	M., S.L. & S.S.M.	73⅝	73⅝	73⅜	73¼
	Do preferred	....	....	....	130
	Va. Car. C. Co.	35	35⅝	35	35⅝
	Do preferred	108⅜	108½	108⅜	108⅜
	Den. & R. G. pfd.	81½	81½	81	82
	INACTIVE LIST.				
100	Am. Steel F'dries	....	6¼	6¼	6⅛
200	Do preferred	....	33	33	32¾
700	Am. Grass & T.	....	6¼	5¾	5⅞
240	Am. Hide & L.	....	4½	4¼	4⅛
200	American Malt	....	4⅜	4⅜	4⅛
1025	Do preferred	....	20¾	20	20½
100	Am. Wool pfd.	....	82½	82½	82½
200	Am. Tob. pfd.	....	142½	142½	142½
5300	Chic. Union Tr.	....	8⅝	8½	8⅝
100	Do preferred	....	36	36	36
320	Chic. Term. Tr.	....	6½	6½	6¾
400	Do preferred	....	15	15	15
725	Corn Products	....	14⅝	14½	14½
110	Do preferred	....	70½	70½	70½
956	Con. Tob pfd.	....	123	122¾	122½
400	D. & R. G. pfd.	....	81½	81	81
100	Detroit United	....	66½	66½	66¼
825	Det. South. Ry.	....	4⅞	4⅞	4½
425	Do preferred	....	8	7½	7½
350	Internat. Pump	....	30½	30¼	30¼
700	K.C.,F.S. & M.pf.	....	78¾	77½	77¼
100	Long Isl. R. R.	....	58	58	57¾
280	M.,S.P. & S.S.M.	....	73⅝	73⅝	73½
2700	Met. subs.	....	80½	79¾	80¼
2200	M., K. & T.	....	24⅛	23¾	24⅛
300	Pacific Coast Co.	....	65	65	64¾
1230	Rubber Goods	....	19¼	19	19
1800	Stand Rope & T.	....	2¼	2	2⅛
100	Sloss	....	40	40	39¾
650	Twin City	....	97½	97½	97¼
2300	Union Bag & P.	....	8	8	7¾
1639	Va. Car.—Chem.	....	35⅝	35	35
600	Do preferred	....	108½	108⅜	108¼

NEW YORK CLOSING BONDS.

U. S. ref. 2s, reg.	104⅜	Man. con. gold 4s.	106½
Do coupon	104⅞	Mexican Cen. 4s.	66
U. S. 3s, reg.	105¼	Do 1st inc.	16¼
Do coupon	105¼	M. & St. L. 4s.	95¼
U. S. new 4s, reg.	131¾	M. K. & T. 4s.	100
Do coupon	131¾	Do 2nds	80½
U. S. old 4s, reg.	106¼	Nat. Mexico c. 4s.	77¼
Do coupon	107¼	N.Y. C. gen. 3½s.	100¼
Atchison gen. 4s.	103½	N. J. C. gen. 5s.	133¼
Do adjt. 4s.	95⅞	North. Pacific 4s.	104⅝
Atl. Coast L. 4s.	97½	Do 3s	74
Balt. & Ohio 4s.	103¼	N. & W. con. 4s.	102
Do 3½s	95½	Ore. S. L. 4s & P.	96⅜
Cen. Georgia 5s.	111	Penna. conv. 3½s.	99½
Do 1st inc.	85¾	Reading gen. 4s.	100½
Ches. & Ohio 4½s.	105¼	St.L. & I.M. c.5s.	117⅞
C. & Alton 3½s.	79¾	St.L. & S.F.fg.4s.	85¾
C. B. & Q. n. 4s.	97	St. L. S'w 1sts.	98
C.M. & St.P.g.4s.	109	Seab'd Air L. 4s.	82½
C. & N'w con. 7s.	128⅜	South. Pacific 4s.	93¾
C. R. I. & P. 4s.	75¾	Southern Ry. 5s.	117½
Do col. 5s.	87⅞	Tex. & Pac. 1sts.	119¾
C.C.C.& St.L.g.4s.	101¾	T. St. L. & W. 4s.	81¼
Chicago Term. 4s.	75½	Union Pacific 4s.	104⅝
Cons. Tobacco 4s.	73¼	Do conv. 4s.	103⅝
Col. & South. 4s.	85¼	U. S. Steel 2nd 5s.	81⅝
D. & R. G. 4s.	101	Wabash 1sts	117⅞
*Erie prior lien 4s.	99⅛	Do Deb. B.	65
Do gen. 4s.	87⅞	W. & L. E. 4s.	89½
Ft.W. & D.C. 1st.	108	Wisconsin Cen. 4s.	90
Hock. Val. 4½s.	108½	Col. Fuel con. 5s.	75½
L. & N. unif. 4s.	100⅝		

*Offered.

Total sales (par value), $3,425,000.

New York Curb Stocks.

(Reported by Henry Sproul & Co.)

Amer. Elevator	⅛	Inter. Salt 5s	56
American Chicle	98	Manhattan Trans.	4¾
Do preferred	88	Mon. & Bos. Cop.	1
Amer. Tin Can	4¾	New Ams. Gas 5s.	108
Do preferred	48	New Orleans Ry.	11
Bay State Gas	⅛	Do preferred	31
British Columbia	4¼	*Do bonds	74
Brooklyn Ferry	5	N. Y. Transit	6¼
Central Foundry	1¾	North. Securities	103¼
Do preferred	9	Otis Elevator	33
Electric Boat	31	Do preferred	93
Do preferred	70	Roy. Bak. P. pfd.	104
Electric Vehicle	15½	Seab'd Air Line	14⅝
Do preferred	20	Do preferred	29⅝
Greene Con. Cop.	15⅝	Standard Oil	644
Havana Com.	26	Tennessee Copper	28
Do preferred	38	Trust of America	470
Int. Mer. Mar.	5⅛	Union Copper	1
Do preferred	19	White Knob	4¼
International Salt	16	Interboro	147

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

Atchison	81½	American Sugar	130¾
Do preferred	98½	Do preferred	132
Boston & Albany	250	Am. Tel. & Tel.	139
Boston & Maine	163	American Woolen	13¾
*Boston Elevated	154	Do preferred	82½
Fitchburg pfd.	136	Dom. Iron & Stl.	11
Mexican Central	13½	Mass. Gas	42¼
N. Y. N. H. & H.	191½	United Fruit	105
Pere Marquette	74	United Shoe Mach.	52½
Union Pacific	97⅝	Do preferred	30¼
Am. Arge. Chem.	14½	U. S. Steel	17⅜
Do preferred	81	Do preferred	68
Am. Pneu. Tube	5		

*Asked.

Philadelphia Closing Bids.

Amer. Railways	48½	Penna. Steel	42
Cambria Steel	22¼	Do preferred	79
Cambria Iron	46½	Phila. Co.	41½
Con. Trac. N. J.	71½	Do preferred	45
Cons. Lake Sup'r.	6⅛	Phila. Traction	97½
Do preferred	10¼	Phila. Elec. Co.	7
Elec. Stor com.	65	Tidewater Steel	⅞
Elec. Co. Amer.	9⅝	Do preferred	3¾
Lehigh Valley	40¾	Union Traction	55⅝
Marsden	3 7-16	United Gas Impt.	94⅝
Penna. R. R.	65⅝	Welsbach Co.	20

Electric Stocks at Boston.

Westingh'se com.	81	*Mass. Electric	12½
Edison Elec. Il.	255	*Do preferred	60
General Electric	169		

*Bid.

TRADING IN STOCKS FELL OFF 50 PER CENT

Hebrew Holiday Was Chief Factor in Influencing Decrease in Business.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 20.—The Herald this (Tuesday) morning says:

The volume of business on the stock exchange yesterday was nearly 50 per cent below the average of a full day's trading of last week. The chief factor in influencing the decrease was doubtless the observance of the Hebrew religious holiday, which kept a large element away from the street. Prices were reactionary throughout the session in all save some manipulated specialties, such as Amalgamated Copper and Colorado & Southern, but the general list closed above the lowest of the day and very few of the net declines exceeded, or, for that matter, equalled a full point. No change was noted in the character of the trading, which still continued largely of a professional character.

Speculative sentiment was again decidedly mixed, with possibly some slight increase of bearishness among the traders. This was more directly traceable to the poor bank statement of Saturday and the firmer tendency of the money market than to anything else. A very low estimate on the corn crop of 1,900,000,000 bushels, as against the government figures of 2,490,000,000, from a private source, which was surprisingly accurate in the estimate of the wheat shortage, had little real influence on the market, though corn and wheat advanced in the early trading, and it was even then that stocks recovered somewhat. The railway traffic returns for the second week in September were variable, but generally showed moderately increased earnings. An open cut in the price of steel billets was announced, but this had long been foreshadowed.

MISSING MILLIONAIRE FOUND ON BLACKWELL'S

In Senile Condition He Had Wandered Away from Home—His Diamond Ring Gone.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—John H. Onderdonk, said to be a nephew of the late United States Justice Onderdonk, and reported to be worth between $500,000 and $1,000,000, who disappeared from his home in West Twelfth street Saturday morning, was brought to New York and placed in St. Vincent's hospital today, after his discovery at the Metropolitan hospital on Blackwells Island, by his physician, Dr. M. B. Feeney.

Onderdonk, who is 60 years old, is registered at the hospital on the Island as John Bonderdonk. He was transferred to the island from Bellevue hospital, whither he was sent from the Presbyterian hospital last Saturday. He was found by a policeman at the corner of Sixtieth street and First avenue Saturday morning, apparently sick, and was sent to the Presbyterian hospital, where his case was diagnosed as senility.

A diamond ring, valued at $600, which Mr. Onderdonk wore when he left home, is missing, but the old man has no recollection of where it has gone.

FRANK A. PARKER.

Staff Officers of W. R. C.

BOSTON, Sept. 19.—Mrs. Fannie E. Minot, national president of the Women's Relief Corps, announced general staff appointments today as follows: Secretary, Helen M. Ayers, Concord, N. H.; inspector, Jennie L. Berry, Cedar Rapids, Ia.; counsellor, Calista Robinson Jones, Bradford, Vt.; instituting and installing officer, Alaseba M. Bliss, Saginaw, Mich.; patriotic instructor, Kate E. Jones, Ilion, N. Y.; press correspondent, Mary Sherman Allen, Dallas, Tex.; chief of staff, Mary L. Gilman, Roxbury, Mass.

Have Raised Price of Bread.

Wholesale packers in McKeesport have served notice that the price of bread is to be raised owing to the recent rise in the prices of flour.

The five cent size which has been sold at the rate of seven for a quarter, will hereafter be four cents straight.

Nothing But Light Wells Found in the Lower Southwest Fields

Nothing but light wells were found in any of the lower southwest fields yesterday. Northeast of the Wick district, Tyler county, Trees, Benedum, Ellsworth & Davis drilled their test on the J. D. Livingston farm seven feet into the Big Injun and developed a strong gas pressure. When the pressure subsides the well will be drilled deeper.

In the Meadville district the Fisher Oil Company has drilled its test on the G. W. Messer farm into the Big Injun and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper. In the same district B. F. Gorrell & Co. have drilled their test on the J. E. Smith farm into the Keener sand and have a show for a very light pumper. It will probably be drilled to the Big Injun.

Near Middlebourne, Tyler county, the Pittson Oil and Gas Company's test on the A. J. Jamison farm is through the Keeener and is a duster. In the same locality the South Penn Oil Company's No. 5 on the M. H. Stealey farm is a 15-barrel pumper in the Keener sand.

In the Bonds Creek district, Ritchie county, the DeLong Farm Oil Company's No. 5 on the Sarah A. DeLong farm is a 20-barrel producer in the Keener. North of the Ritchie mines, same county, the South Penn Oil Company's No. 12 on the Frederick Miller farm is through the Keener and Big Injun and both formations were barren.

Near Downs Station, Marion county, Leonard & Brown's second test on the John Egan farm is in the Gordon and the hole has filled up 700 feet with fluid. It is still drilling. In the same district F. W. Bartlett & Co.'s test on the George Belch farm has filled up 1,500 feet with fluid from the Gordon. The South Penn company has drilled its No. 4 on the E. T. Price farm through the Big Injun and Fifth-foot and found gas in both. It is now drilling to the fourth sand.

On the east side of the Folsom district, Harrison county, the South Penn company's second test on the J. W. Owen's farm is 200 feet below the Gordon and has no oil or gas. In the same district, the same company's No. 32 on the Genine Robinson tract is a 20-barrel producer in the Gordon. The same company's No. 5 on the Catherine Ice farm is producing 30 barrels a day from the same sand. No. 4 on the B. F. Hildreth farm has been completed and is not good for more than 10 barrels a day.

In the Salem district, same county, the South Penn company has drilled its second test on the M. Haymond farm through the Gordon and found no oil or gas. In the same district, No. 2 on the A. A. Stout farm is through the Gordon and found no oil and is now drilling to the Fifth sand.

In the Smithfield district, Wetzel county, the South Penn company's No. 4 on the A. Batson farm looks like a duster in the Big Injun. In the Pine Grove extension, same county the South Penn's No. 4 on the Pitman-Yeater farm is through the stray and found no oil or gas. Southwest of Mannington, Marion county, the South Penn company's No. 1 on the C. S. Pitzer farm is holding up at 130 barrels a day.

In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the Carter Oil Company's No. 12 on the Rebecca Curry farm is through the Berea Grit and has a show for a 15 or 20-barrel pumper. This location is 1,200 feet northwest of No. 6 on the same farm. The South Penn Oil Company's Nos. 1, 2 and 3 on the R. E. Gardner farm are holding up at 150 barrels a day. All threee are Maxon sand producers.

On the west side of the Fish Creek development, Marshal county, the South Penn company's test on the Lydick farm has declined to 75 barrels a day.

On the Ohio side in the Lowell district, Washington county, C. E. Bennett has drilled his No. 15 on the George Mattern, Jr., farm into the sand and has a show for a 20-barrel producer. Near Newport in the same county James Morrison & Co. have completed No. 4 on the A. Freidel farm and have a show for a 150-barrel producer in the Berea grit. The Berea formation in this district has been furnishing some good producers recently, but none so large as the one just named.

Near Beallsville, Belmont county, the Imperial Oil Company and the Central Gas Company have drilled a test on the Margaret Moore farm into the Cow Run sand and it is reported have a show for a 30-barrel producer at a depth of 600 feet. This is new territory and is attracting some attention.

In the Bristoria field, Greene county, Pa., the South Penn Oil Company has completed its second test on the Thomas Hinerman farm and has a show for a 10-barrel pumper in the fourth sand.

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the various fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 53; Cabell, $1 50; Tiona, $1 68; Corning, $1 33; New Castle, $1 40; North Lima, $1 03; South Lima, 98c; Indiana, 98c; Somerset, 93c; Ragland, 60c. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes Pennsylvania crude at $1 53.

OIL CITY, PA., Sept. 19.—Credit balances, $1 53; certificates, no bid. Shipments—Pennsylvania, 117,047 bbls; average, 73,355 bbls; runs, 108,044 bbls; average, 72,392 bbls. Shipments—Lima, 178,697 bbls; average, 68,867 bbls; runs, 122,550 bbls; average, 51,099 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., Sept. 19.—North Lima, $1 03; South Lima and Indiana, 98c.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Sept. 17-18	107,046	Sept. 16-17	107,956
Previously	1,173,343	Previously	1,121,090
Total	1,280,389	Total	1,229,046
Daily avg.	71,138	Daily avg.	72,291

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
Sept. 17-18	178,698	Sept. 16-17	122,550
Previously	1,060,925	Previously	846,136
Total	1,239,623	Total	968,686
Daily avg.	68,868	Daily avg.	56,853

New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Money on call firm; highest 2 per cent; lowest, 1¾ per cent; ruling rate, 1¾ per cent. Last loan, 1¾ per cent. Closing bid, 1¾ per cent. Offered at 1¾ per cent. Time loans slightly firmer; 60 days, 3@3¼ per cent; 90 days, 3@3¼ per cent; six months, 3¾@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 4@5 per cent. Sterling exchange weak, closing steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4 86.45@4 86.50 for demand and at $4 84.25@4 84.35 for 60 day bills. Posted rates, $4 85@4 87½. Commercial bills, $4 83⅝@4 84½. Bar silver, 57⅝c. Mexican dollars, 45½c. Government bonds firm. Railroad bonds easy.

MINE BOSSES MAY BELONG TO UNION

TERRE HAUTE, IND., Sept. 19.—President John Mitchell of the Mine Workers' National organization has decided the question whether bosses at mines shall be members of the United Mine Workers is purely discretionary. The question was submitted recently to him by a joint committee of Indiana operators and miners.

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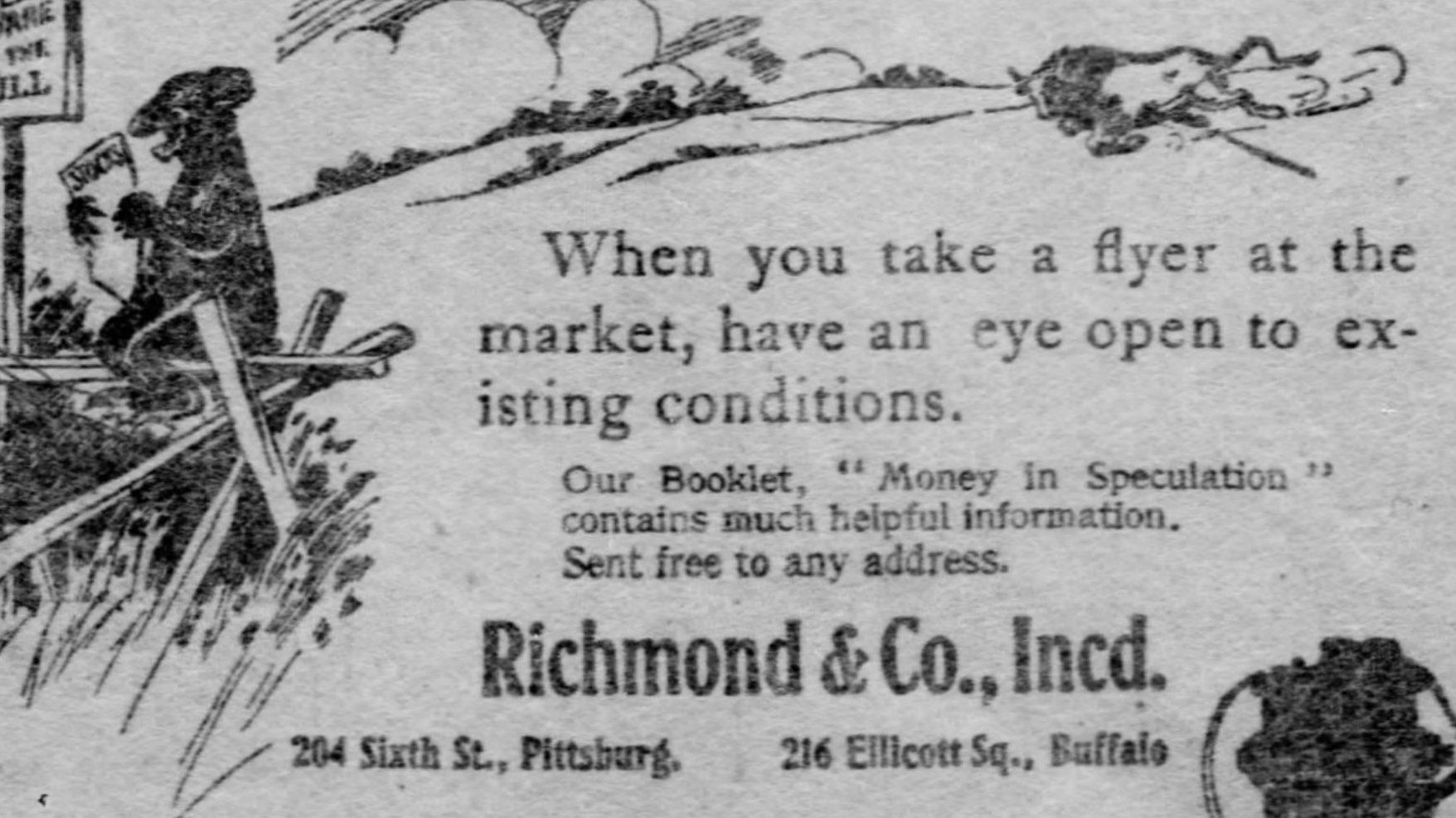

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TWO GOOD DEALS START THE WEEK

P. R. R. Buys East End Property. Walker Place Houses Sold.

EPISCOPAL RESIDENCE SITE

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company has once more entered the real estate field. This time it has bought the George C. Burgwin property in the Twenty-first ward for $44,000. This is the first deal made by the railroad company in the East End for weeks, and gives rise to considerable discussion. Title to the property was taken by the Manor Real Estate Company, holding agent for the railroad. The property bought consists of 200x130 feet in the north side of Hamilton avenue, between Fifth and Linden avenues, and has erected on it eight brick houses. It is opposite the A. Bauer property, for which condemnation proceedings were begun months ago. In the opposite side of Hamilton avenue, facing in Linden avenue, the railroad company owns two large properties, title to which is held by B. W. Carskaddon and W. A. Moncune, both Pennsylvania railroad real estate agents. Mr. Moncune also has title to 40x135 feet adjoining the Burgwin property. Between this and Linden aveneu are two lots belonging to M. C. Herron and J. R. Kurtz which, it is said, have been sought lately by the railroad agents. The properties are less than two squares from the new cut-off at Kelly street. Just what the intention of the railroad company is cannot be ascertained, but it is reported that the properties were secured to give room for additional tracks.

Good Business in Walker Place.

Through the office of George T. McDonald three more new houses in Walker place, Allegheny, have been sold for $31,500 or $10,500 each. The purchaser is James T. Wachob, an official of the Guarantee Title and Trust Company, who gets the properties from William D. Tenne. The residences are 10-room reception-hall houses with two bath rooms and hard wood finish, and are finely decorated. They have never been occupied. The buyer will take one of the properties for a home and hold the others for an investment. The lots are 40x120 feet each and face in Mansion avenue, near California avenue.

Walker place seems destined to build up even more rapidly the next year than the present season. To insure the improvement of most of the lots in the plan the Walker Place Improvement Company has just been organized, with a capital of $25,000, to build 50 houses during the next year. A charter will be asked for at once. The officers of the company will be: President, Charles L. Walther, president of the Walther-Robertson Drug Company; secretary and treasurer, A. V. Purnell, a railroad contractor. Bids are now being taken by Architect James P. Bailey on six of the houses, three of which will be built in Mansion avenue and three in Termon avenue on lots 40x120 feet. These houses will vary in design and material, one of them, at least, to be built of brown stone and pebbles. The cost of the six is estimated at $40,000.

Bought for Episcopal Residence.

It was learned last night that the purchase of the Ann E. Lewis property in the east side of Craig street, adjoining Duquesne garden on the north, was for a site for an episcopal residence. The lot is 143x321.5 feet and brought about $85,000, as was reported in The Gazette of Sunday. The present house on the lot is a large one and may be used for some time as a home for the bishop and cathedral priests. It is reported, however, that a fine building to correspond with the new St. Paul's cathedral, across the street, will be erected within a year or two at most. This, it is said, will contain in addition to the regular episcopal quarters, large quarters for the Young Men's Lyceum of the Roman Catholic church. The location for such a building could not be better, and the assurance that a fine building will eventually be erected on this lot will be welcome news to other property owners in the street, who feared that the purchase was for an apartment house site.

Architects Alden & Harlow have been commissioned by W. L. Abbott and others to prepare plans for the hotel which will be built in Penn avenue just east of Tenth street. The old building on the site is nearly razed and it is expected that work on the new structure will be started within a month. Definite plans for the building have not been decided on and the names of all the parties interested in the deal are withheld for the present. Mr. Abbott said yesterday, however, that there was no doubt about the hotel being built.

Latest News in Building.

Bids are being taken by Architect O. M. Topp on the Second Presbyterian church in Wilkinsburg. Estimates for both a stone and brick building are being received.

Architect C. M. Bartberger will close bids today on the hotel of John Hohmann at Penn and Winebiddle avenues, Twentieth ward. The building will be a three-story brick, 20x90 feet in dimensions.

Architects Dean & Stophlet have plans for a three-story brick building, 20x98 feet, to be erected in Homewood avenue at a cost of about $8,000. The building is designed for amusement purposes and will have bowling alleys and billiard rooms.

Architect Harry S. Bair is taking bids on two houses to be built in Beechwood boulevard at a cost of about $12,000. He is also making plans for a $6,000 brick residence for W. D. Beatty in Dewey avenue, Edgewood.

Architect Charles Bickel is taking bids on a $10,000 brick house in Dakota street for J. P. Vance.

The work of enlarging the Jewish synagogue Scholom in Twenty-eighth street will be started soon. A second story will be built and also an addition in the rear.

F. Thubron has the contract for building 11 houses in Grazella place for W. H. Knodell, to cost $3,500 each.

Bids are being received by Architects Rutan & Russell on three concrete block and frame houses for R. P. Nevin, in Edgewood. The houses will cost about $7,500 each.

Minor Realty Transactions.

South Side: Jacob Hildebrand sold to the Servian Home Hall association an improved lot, 44x120 feet, in the north side of Sarah street, near South Twenty-sixth street, Twenty-fifth ward, for $5,000.

Clarissa street: David Rappert sold to the Butler County National bank an improved lot, 36x105 feet, near Clarissa street, Thirteenth ward, for $1,500.

Lincoln avenue: John P. Saunders sold to B. G. Lager 25x142 feet in the south side of Lincoln avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $1,000.

Calhoun street: James M. Clark sold to A. Lindsay 50x120 feet in the south side of Calhoun street, Thirty-seventh ward, for $1,200.

Laurel street: H. W. Hoffman sold to Joseph Baroni 20x119 feet in the south side of Laurel street, Sixteenth ward, for $950.

The following Pittsburgh building permits were issued yesterday by the bureau of building inspection: To Terrance Collins for a two-story brick dwelling at Ivy and Elmer streets, to cost $7,000; to C. S. Marshall, for a two-story brick veneer dwelling in McPherson, near Linden avenue, to cost $5,000; to Maggie Ritchie, for a two-story dwelling in Idlewild street, between Lang and Homewood avenues, to cost $2,000; to Mrs. E. Stoughton, for a two-story brick veneer dwelling at 40 Washington avenue, to cost $2,500; to T. M. Iway, for a two-story frame dwelling in Fargo street, to cost $1,800; to Mrs. Annie Joyce, for a two-story brick veneer store and dwelling in Herron avenue extension, to cost $2,200; to Lorence Lemmore, for a two-story frame dwelling at 5120 Keystone avenue, to cost $2,800; to Frank Felbrecht, for a two-story frame dwelling at 3628 Melwood avenue, to cost $2,500; to Robert Clark, for a two-story brick dwelling at 4013 Mifflin street, to cost $2,000; to W. J. Wright, for a two-story brick dwelling in Mathilda street, to cost $5,000.

Transfers Recorded.

Hamnett T Lee to Homestead Lumber Co., Sept 10, Munhall, 25x110, Eighth ave.	$ 5,000
Eureka Invest Co Lim to J W Painter, April 12, Duquesne, 50x130, Chestnut st.	1,050
Weber M H to I K Bechtel, June 30, Wilkinsburg, 24x100, Glenn ave	1,800
Scott Wm L to Enoch James, Aug 29, 10th wd, Ally, 20x105, Morrison ave	1,000
Gensler Albert to J H Gensler, Sept 12, 27th wd, Pgh, 20x100, Hackstown ave.	1,400
Robertson A C to Susan A Doyle, April 30, 35th wd, Pgh, 50x130, Pine st	3,100
MacConnell Thos to M McGinniss, Aug 9, 20th wd, Pgh, 25x115, Millvale ave.	2,250
Held Chas P to Emma F Patterson, Aug 29, Ingram, 38x100, Sampson ave	3,800
Olson E W to Olga M Young, June 2, 21st wd, Pgh, 20x100, Chaucer st	2,800
Hay J Walter to Wm H Young, June 22, Avalon, 50x110, Parkview ave	650
Flint Jno B to Nelson M Thomas, Aug 17, Swissvale, 30x110, Harrison ave	4,500
Kohlhammer E J to S Troiana, Aug 30, 11th wd, Pgh, 20x80, Reed st	2,700
Liberty Land Co to N Altmyer, Aug 31, Leet twp, 45x62, Broadway ext	2,225
Marx Julius A to Anna Schmidt, Aug 26, N Braddock, 51x159, Brinton have.	850
Paine Robt T Jr to L A Ferguson, Aug 30, 32d wd, Pgh, 3 lots, Grandview	3,020
Glazier Wm S to Geo W Young, Aug 19, 14th wd, Pgh, 31x175, Boquet st	5,200
Stawinski S to W Piotrowski, Sept 19, N Braddock, 25x131, Electric ave	2,500
Model Home Co to Della Henderson, July 25, Knoxville, 37x100, St. Charles st	5,700
Alter Geo E to Ira O Montgomery, Sept 17, Mifflin twp, 30x120, McAdams ave.	1,600
Black Orlando to Wm R Black, Sept 14, Scott twp, 40x86, Center st	1,200
Thompson H M to L B Walker, Sept 10, Pitcairn, 20x87, Eleanor st	3,000
Reed G W to W T Hulick, Sept 8, Patton twp, 25x100, Second st	1,000
Bergman B H to Jno Mc Gulley, Sept 12, Brackenridge, 100x117, Stieren st	3,000
Myers Wm H to Chas E Elliott, Sept 12, Tarentum, 32x72, Porter st	1,100

BUTTER JUMPS AGAIN VERY UNEXPECTEDLY

New Oranges Arrive—Potatoes Here in Big Supply—Groceries Are Quiet.

The Elgin telegram announced an advance of half a cent on butter yesterday afternoon. The change came as a surprise to many dealers. A steady butter market last week and pronounced indications of a continuance of the situation inspired a good deal of confidence and buying was not very heavy Saturday or yesterday. Had the advance been looked for, jobbers would have bought more heavily. Cheese is active at prevailing prices and eggs are holding firm. The poultry market is in a satisfactory condition, so say the dealers. Receipts are not too heavy for demands now.

Jamaica oranges arrived for the first time this season yesterday. The supply of oranges has been very low in the Pittsburgh market for several weeks and there will likely be a heavy demand on the new arrivals. Bananas are still in good demand and the supply is ample. Plums and grapes have weakened and prices are lower. Peaches are holding their own and pears have stiffened up. Marrowfat squash has arrived and is quoted below. There is a glut in the potato market. Counting the receipts yesterday there are about 80 cars in the yards. Prices are reduced. Cantaloupes were in heavy supply yesterday, the stock on hand amounting to about 45 cars. There were 23 cars of grapes in the yards yesterday.

The grocery market was featureless. Flour is steady to firm. Sugar continues strong at the advances of yesterday. There was a general good feeling on hay and grain without any change in quotations. Hay is here in comparatively small supply at present. Oats are wanted and so are middlings. Demand for straw keeps up well and the market showed well on oats again yesterday.

HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.

Receipts bulletined: Pennsylvania—31 cars hay, 10 cars oats, 5 cars corn, 2 cars rye, 2 cars straw. Baltimore & Ohio—9 cars hay, 5 cars oats. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie—6 cars hay, 2 cars oats, 1 car rye, 1 car corn.

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Straw, oat.. $7.50@8.00
do wheat.. $7.50@8.00
do rye.. $10.50@11.00
No. 2 white oats .....36@36½c
No. 2 oats....35@35½c
No. 4 oats....34½@35c
White middlings, No. 1, ton. $26.00@26.50
No. 2 middlings . $25.00@25.50
do brown. $22.50@23.00
Bran, ton.. $19.50@20.00
Wheat, No. 2 red ....98@99c
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Roasted Coffee.
Rio ....13½@15c
Santos ....22½@23½c
Maracaibo ....15½@16c
Peaberry ....17½@18c
Golden Rio...15@15½c
Caracas .....19½@20c
Standard, pkgs. .12.55@13.05c
High grade. 18½@19½c
Molasses, fancy refined ....35@36c
do choice .....31@34c
do open ket..37@39c
Syrup.
Fancy syrup....28@30c
Maple syrup, gal. $1.00
Sug. and cane. 24@25c
Prime ....24@25c
⅛-lb cans, doz...$1.90
¼-lb cans, doz...$1.10
5-lb cans, doz...$1.85
10-lb cans, doz...$3.40
Maple, gal...75c@$1.00
Oatmeal, bbl $5.20
do kegs $2.75
Sugar, sta. gran..5.30c
do bags 5.25c
do 2-lb carton..5.45c
do 5-lb bags....5.45c
do pow'd xxxx..5.40c
do cut loaf.......5.45c
do cubes 5.55c
do coff. A..5.00@5.15c
do No. 1 yellow.5.10c
do No. 2 yellow.4.85c
do No. 3 yellow.4.80c
Beans.
Navy, choice H. P. ...$1.70@1.80
Red kidney..$3.25@3.30
Cal. lima, lb...4¾@5¼c
Peas, dried, bu. ......$1.25@1.35
do split, lb.........4c
do marrowfat, bu. ...$2.00@2.10
Oil, carbon, 110 deg. 11¼c
do headlight ...12¾c
do water white...13c
do Ohio W. W. 150 deg. 12¾c
do Elaine 16c
do special brands ......26@43c
Rice, ex-fancy head, lb ...6@6½c
do fancy Japan ......4@4½c
do choice Carolina ......5¼@5½c
Salt, No. 1 bbl....$1.00
do No. 2 extra...$1.10
do gran. rock...95c
do pocket..$1.50@1.85
do dairy $1.30
Lentils, fancy, "6-O," lb 4½c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie. $1.10
do pie, gal. $2.50@3.00
do California, L. C. ..$1.65@2.25
do Maryland ...$1.45@1.65
do California Y. F. ...$1.80@2.00
Corn, fancy. $1.10@1.20
do stand...90c@$1.00
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.50@2.75
Lima beans. $1.20@1.45
do soaked....75@80c
String beans, 2-lb..70c
do 3-lb 95c
Stringless beans ..$1.25@1.75
Peas, marrowfat ....88@90c
do early June ....92½@95c
do soaked ...55@65c
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans..$2.15@2.25
Pineapples . $1.20@2.55
Plums, California ..$1.55@1.60
Raspberries ....85@95c
Gooseberries ...85@90c
Tomatoes, fancy ...$1.15@1.35
do standard...80@85c
do gal .....$2.50@2.55
Succotash, 1-lb cans ....$1.25@1.40
Baked beans, cans, tomato sc...75@95c
Salmon, doz..95c@$2.00
do red, 1-lb flats ....$1.00@1.30
1-lb flats. $1.65@2.00
do pink, 1-lb talls ....$1.85@2.10
Chipped beef. $2.25@2.75
Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.40@2.45
do 1-lb cans ....$1.30@1.35
Mackerel, broiled ..$1.90@2.50
Sardines, domestic, ¼s..$3.45@3.60
do mustards, ¾s. $2.60
do French. $9.50@18.50

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$26.00
do half bbl....$11.50
do quar. bbl..$6.00
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl...$20.00
do half bbls...$10.50
do quar. bbls...$6.25
do 20-lb pails..$2.40
do 10-lb pails..$1.75
Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl....$16.00
do half bbls....$8.50
do quar. bbls....$4.35
do 20-lb pails...$1.90
do 10-lb pails...$1.00
do No. 2 Irish 50-lb tubs....$5.00
Lake herring, 100 lbs. $3.35
do 30-lb $1.35
do 10-lb 50c

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags ....10@12c
do 25-lb boxes ..10½@12½c
Apples, bulk....6¾@7c
do 1-lb cartons ....7¼@8c
Peaches ....7@10½c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg..7½@7¾c
Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown 50-lb boxes..6@8½c
do Ondaria Val. ....8@8½c
do Cal. Val ...7@7½c
Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs .....6½@6¾c
Prunes ....3@8c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small. $6.75@7.00
do mammoth ...$6.85@7.00
do crimson. $4.50@4.75
do white Dutch. $10.25@12.00
Alsike .....$7.50@8.00
Alfalfa ....$8.50@9.00
Millet, Western ..$1.25@1.50
Southern ..$1.75@1.80
Grass, Hungarian .....90c@$1.00
do lawn, lb...16@18c
do blues, 14-lb bu. .....$1.65@1.75
do red top, 14-lb bu. $1.10@1.60
Timothy ....$1.50@1.60

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens .....14@15c
do roosters ...9@10c
do old turkeys. 14@15c
do old ducks. 11@12c
do spring chickens, Large .....15@16c
Small .....13@14c
do geese ....8@9c
do spring ducks ....14@15c
Dressed hens...17@18c
do roosters ..13@14c
do turkeys ..20@21c
do spring chickens ...19@20c
do spring ducks ....18@19c
do Long Island ducklings 20c
do capon, lb..26@27c
Squab, doz........$4.00
do No. 2..........$3.75
Ducks, ruddy.....$1.25
do red head. $1.75@2.00
do canvasback ....$2.75@3.00
Impt. golden plover, doz. $5.50
do black plover. $4.50
do grouse $2.50
do partridges ...$2.25
English pheasants, per pair $3.25
Reed birds, doz...$1.25
Snappers, per lb. 9@10c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bulk, bu, store...55@60c
bu, track...45@50c
Virginia sweets, bbls. ...$1.65@1.75
Jersey sweets, bbls. ...$2.75@3.00
Hampers .$1.00@1.25
Onions, bbls. ...$2.00@2.25
do bu ....80@90c
Valencias, per crate..$3.25@3.50
do bu ......$1.40@1.50
Spanish, per crate ...$1.20@1.25
Cucumbers, bbls ...$1.00@1.25
do Ashtabula, chips ......25@40c
do home raised, bu. ....75@85c
Green peas, home raised, per bu..$1.00@1.25
Cabbage, bbl .....75c@$1.00
Lettuce, home, doz. ....20@30c
String beans, green ...75c@$1.00
Wax beans..75c@$1.00
Brussels sprouts, quart ......18@20c
Celery, Kalamazoo, doz. ....10@15c
do Ohio .....15@25c
Tomatoes, do Marietta, baskets ....20@25c
Home grown chips ......20@25c
Honey, new ...15@16c
Beets ....25@30c
do bbls....$3.00@3.25
Popcorn, lb.......4@5c
Egg plant, crate, choice ......50@75c
do doz. ....50@75c
Squash, marrowfats, bbl. $1.50@1.75
Huckleberries, do 10-lb baskets ....50@60c
do 20-lb baskets ....$1.00@1.25
do pails....$1.00@1.10
Elderberries, per crate. $1.00@1.25
per qt 5c
baskets 50c
pails ....50@60c
Peppers, bu......40@50c
Mushrooms, per lb .....35@40c
Green corn, home raised, doz..12@15c
bu. ....90c@$1.00
Cantaloupes, Rockyfords, do Standards, crate $1.25
do combina....85@95c
Watermelons ...20@30c
Garlic, lb.........7@8c
Lima beans, per qt ......9@10c
do 3-qt b'sket. 20@25c
Cranberries, per crate. $2.00@2.25

PROVISIONS.

Hams.
18 lbs and up......12c
Over 14 to 18 lbs. 11¾c
Over 10 to 14 lbs...12c
10 lbs and under. 12¼c
Skinned 13c
Boneless boiled......20c
California 9¾c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 9¾c
do skinned 10¼c
Ribs, 8 to 20 lbs. 12½c
do 10 to 12 lbs. 11½c
do back strips. 11½c
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs. 12¼c
do 10 to 12 lbs. 12½c
Breakfast bacon, back strips...11¾c
Dry salt sides, extra short clears ..9½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs...10c
do under 16 lbs...10c
Dry salt, smoked sides, extra short clears ..10½c
Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10¾c
do 16 to 20 lbs....11c
do under 16 lbs..11c
Lard, pure, tierces 7¾c

NUTS.

Filberts 10c
Eng. walnuts...12@15c
S. S. almonds....16½c
Tarr. almonds....16½c
Mixed 10c
Brazil 9c
Dried Italian chestnuts 7c
Shellbarks bu .....$1.75@2.00
Pecans 10c
Peanuts, fancy roasted $1.60
do choice $1.30

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heavy 8c
do light, under 60c lbs and cows, all weights 7c
No. 1 green bulls...6c
Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs....9c
do No. 2..........8c
Cows and light calfskin, No. 1..10c

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.
Prints ....22½@23c
Tubs ....21½@22c
Ohio cream......19@20c
Dairy ....12@12½c
Country roll...11½@12c
Cheese, N. Y., full cm. new. 9¾@10¼c
do Ohio cm. 9¼@9¾c
do ¾ cream, new .....8¼@8½c
do Ohio Swiss .....12@12½c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs ......14@15½c
do block ....13@14c
do imported. 27@27½c
do Limberger, new. 11½@12¼c
do 5-lb brick. 12@13c
Neufchatel, per box...90c@$1.00
Eggs, selected 23c
do candled ....21@22c
do at mark....18@19c

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messins ...$3.50@4.00
do California .....$2.50@3.00
Oranges, St. Michaels, ...$4.00@4.50
Late Valencias .....$4.00@4.50
Jamaicas, per bbl. $3.00@3.25
Cocoanuts, bags ....$2.75@3.00
Figs, cartons....75@90c
Bananas 1st. $1.50@1.75
do 2nds. $1.25@1.50
Pineapples, crate .....$3.00@3.50
Grapes, California, crates ....$1.50@1.75
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb b'sket..18@19c
4-lb b'sket..10@11c
Grape fruit..$5.00@5.50
Apples, bu.......50@60c
do ½ bu.......25@35c
Crab apples, chips ....40@50c
Peaches, 6-basket carriers .$1.25@1.75
10-lb b'skets. 20@25c
20-lb b'skets. 40@65c
bu crate. $1.00@1.50
bu b'sket. $1.75@2.00
Plums, crates ....75c@$1.00
20-lb b'skets. 50@60c
Damsons, 20-lb b'skets. 40@50c
Limes, per 100...75c@$1.00
Pears, per crate, Fancy ....$2.25@2.50
10-lb b'skets. 15@20c
20-lb b'skets. 30@35c
Bartletts, bbls .....$3.50@4.00

Sales of Deciduous Fruits.

The following sales of deciduous fruits were made: Three cars from California containing

1,567 crates Tokay grapes	$ 65@$1.70
30 ¼ crates Tokay grapes	80@ 1.00
200 crates Muscat grapes	65@ 1.60
24 crates Cornichon grapes	75@ 1.25
7 crates white Tokay grapes	1.65
17 crates assorted grapes	1.45@ 1.60
39 boxes Bartlett pears	2.00@ 2.35
1,135 boxes Salway peaches	.40@ .70

One car from Oregon containing

742 crates Italian prunes	$ .75@$ .85
109 crates silver prunes	.75

Butter, Eggs and Cheese.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Butter strong; receipts, 6,003 pkgs. Street price extra creamery, 19½@19¾c. Official prices creamery, common to extra, 13@19½c. State dairy, common to extra, 9@18½c. Cheese firm; receipts, 2,055 pkgs.; state full cream, small colored, fancy, 9c; small white, fancy, 9c; good to prime, 8½@8¾c. Large colored, fancy, 9c; large colored, good to prime, 8¼@8¾c; large white, fancy, 9c; good to prime, 8¼@8¾c. Eggs firm. Receipts, 7,180 cases; state, Pennsylvania and nearby selected white, extra fancy, 27@28c; do, good to prime, 21@23c. Western fancy selected, 22@22½c. Average best, 21@21½c. Southern, 17@20c.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., Sept. 19.—Butter in fair demand; extra western creamery, 20½c; nearby prints, 21c. Eggs firm and ½c higher; nearby firsts, 21½c at mark; western, 22c at mark. Cheese firm and in good demand; New York full creams, fancy, 9½@9¾c; do choice, 9@9¼c; do fair to good, 8¼@8¾c.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—On the produce exchange today the butter market was steady; creameries, 14@18½c; dairies, 12½@16c. Eggs firm at mark, cases included, 14@17½c; firsts, 17@17½c; prime firsts, 19½c; extras, 21½c. Cheese firm at 8@9c.

Turpentine and Rosin.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Sept. 19.—Spirits turpentine, nothing doing. Rosin, nothing doing. Tar, $1 60 bid. Crude turpentine firm at $2 25 @3 75.

SAVANNAH, GA., Sept. 19.—Turpentine firm at 62c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, $2 60@2 65; D, $2 70; E, $2 75; F, $2 80; G, $2 85; H, $2 85; I, $3 00@3 05; K, $3 75; M, $4 15; N, $4 40; W G, $4 70; W W, $5 00.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Sept. 19.—Turpentine firm at 51½c. Rosin firm; A, B, C, $2 50; D, $2 60; E, $2 65; F, $2 70; G, $2 75; H, $2 80; I, $2 90; K, $3 65; M, $4 10; N, $4 35; W G, $4 65; W W, $4 95.

LIBERAL PROFIT-TAKING RESULTED IN DECLINE

All Cereals Are Off, but Provisions Show a Gain.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—With world's shipments increased and larger primary receipts in the United States, liberal profit-taking in wheat today resulted in a net decline of 1⅛c. Corn is off ½@⅝c. Oats are down ½c. Provisions show a gain of 2½c to 10c.

In spite of a number of bear influences a firm feeling prevailed in the wheat market at the opening, the December option being up a shade to ½c at $1 09⅛ to $1 09½@1 09⅝. May was up ⅜@½c to ⅝@¾c at $1 11½ to $1 11¾. The initial firmness was due mainly to a good demand from traders who had sold short the early part of last week. There was also fair buying by commission houses on reports of unfavorable weather in the Canadian northwest. The gist of the news at hand, however, was largely in favor of the bear element. Cables were lower. World's shipments were much heavier than for the corresponding day last week or a year ago. Receipts in the northwest continued to show a marked increase and this fact perhaps furnished the principal motive for the heavy selling that developed. Liberal sales of long wheat started prices on the down grade and the execution of stop loss orders accelerated the decline. On the break December sold off to $1 08½ and May to $1 10⅜. Toward the middle of the session the market again became strong, cold, wet weather in Manitoba bringing out a good demand from some of the big commission houses. On the rally December advanced to $1 10½ and May to $1 12⅜@1 12½. Renewed profit-taking, however, resulted in another reaction. A fair increase in the visible supply and larger primary receipts at points elsewhere than northwest were influenced that had a weakening effect on the late market. With extreme weakness manifested at Minneapolis the market here became decidedly heavy, December selling off to $1 07½. In the meantime May declined to $1 09. December closed at a loss of 1⅛c at $1 07⅞@1 08. May also was off 1⅛c, closing at $1 09⅞@1 10. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 66,900 bushels. The amount on passage decreased 1,696,000 bushels, while the visible supply increased 895,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 1,685,900 bushels, compared with 1,318,600 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of 1,047 cars against 678 cars last week and 997 cars a year ago.

A sharp bulge in corn prices occurred as a result of a report of a Minneapolis crop expert claiming the total yield would fall short of the government estimate by 300,000,000 bushels. According to this authority the crop will be the smallest harvested in seven years. The situation was further strengthened by a report of a local statistician estimating the total crop at less than two billion bushels. The advance failed to hold, however, many traders being inclined to place entire confidence in the government figures. The market became decidedly weak late in the session, the close being practically at the low point. December opened ⅛c lower to ⅛c higher at 50⅛c to 50⅜c; ranged between 49⅝c and 51¼c and closed at 49⅝@49¾c. Local receipts were 567 cars, with 46 of contract grade.

Steadily increasing supplies were a depressing influence in the oats market. Prices were also inclined to follow other grains in their downward course. A feature of trading was active buying of May around 35c. The market closed at the low point. After opening unchanged to a shade higher at 32⅝c to 32⅝@32¾c, December sold between 32⅛c and 32⅞c, closing at 32¼c. Local receipts were 202 cars.

The fact that hog receipts have not increased to any great extent since the settlement of the stock yards strike had a strengthening influence in the provision market. There was a good demand from packers, but offerings were light. At the close January pork was up 7½c at $12 75. Lard was up 10c at $7 12½@7 15. Ribs gained 2½@5c, closing at $6 65.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 170 cars; corn, 698 cars; oats, 311 cars; hogs, 17,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT No. 2.					
Sept. o	1 08⅜	1 11	1 08⅛	1 08⅛	1 10
Sept. n	1 07	1 08¼	1 05½	1 05½	1 07
Dec.	1 09⅝	1 10½	1 07½	1 08	1 09⅜
May	1 11⅜	1 12⅛	1 09½	1 10	1 11⅛
CORN, No. 2.					
Sept.	51⅛	51¼	50⅝	50⅝	51
Dec.	50½	51¼	49⅝	49⅝	50⅛
May	49¾	50⅛	49¼	49¼	49⅞
OATS. No. 2.					
Sept.	31⅛	31⅛	31	31	31⅛
Dec.	32⅝	32⅞	32⅛	32¼	32⅝
May	35⅛	35⅜	34½	34⅝	35
PORK.					
Oct.	10 85	10 90	10 72½	10 75	10 70
Jan.	12 72½	12 85	12 72½	12 75	12 70
LARD.					
Oct.	6 95	7 05	6 92½	7 02½	6 90
Jan.	7 12½	7 17½	7 07½	7 12½	7 12½
RIBS.					
Oct.	7 25	7 40	7 20	7 37½	7 12½
Jan.	6 65	6 70	6 62½	6 65	6 62½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady; No. 2 spring wheat, $1 16; No. 6, $1 05@1 15; No. 2 red, $1 10@1 12¼. No. 2 corn, 51c; No. 2 yellow, 52¼@54c. No. 2 oats, 31c; No. 2 white, 33¼@33½c; No. 3 white, 32@33c. No. 2 rye, 73c. Good feeding barley, 35@37c. Fair to choice malting, 44@52c. No. 1 flax seed, $1 16; No. 1 northwestern, $1 24½. Prime timothy seed, $2 70. Mess pork, per bbl., $10 80@10 90. Lard, per 100 lbs., $7 02@7 05. Short ribs sides, loose, $7 37½@7 62½. Short clear sides, boxed, $8 25@8 50. Whiskey, basis of high wines, $1 28. Clover, contract grade, $11 50@11 60.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls	15,300	14,900
Wheat, bu	170,000	161,000
Corn, bu	532,800	1,042,300
Oats, bu	303,100	39,900
Rye, bu	11,300	5,000
Barley, bu	158,800	5,500

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Flour—Receipts, 16,381 barrels; exports, 4,168 barrels; sales, 2,300 packages. Market dull and unsettled. Rye nominal. Barley steady; feeding, 47c c. i. f. New York. Wheat—Sales, 4,700,000 bushels futures. Spot easy; No. 2 red, $1 13⅛ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 Northern Duluth, $1 22⅛ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba nominal f. o. b. afloat. Wheat was irregular all day. Opening firmer on cold weather news it broke under big northwest receipts, rallied on the corn strength and new buying and finally collapsed under heavy unloading with the close 1¼@1½c net lower. May, $1 10⅞@1 13½; closed $1 11. September, $1 13@1 15⅛; closed $1 13. December $1 11½@1 14; closed $1 11½.

Corn—Receipts, 96,350 bushels; exports, 137,658 bushels; sales, 10,000 bushels futures; 64,000 bushels spot. Spot easy. No. 2, 57¼c elevator and 56¾c f. o. b. afloat; No. 2 yellow, 60c; No. 2 white, 57¼c. Option market was quiet, ruling firm early on a bullish crop estimate, but later giving way under liquidation and with the west, closing ½c net lower. May closed 55¼c; September, 56½@57¼c; closed 56⅛c. December, 56¼@57⅛c; closed 56⅛c. Oats—Receipts, 165,800 bushels; exports, 1,860 bushels. Spot easy; mixed oats, 26@32 pounds, 34@34½c; natural white, 30@32 pounds, 34½@37½c; clipped white, 36@40 pounds, 35@41c. Options nominal. Feed firm; spring bran, $20 75; middlings, $22 75; city, $22 00@27 00.

ST. LOUIS, Sept. 19.—Wheat, No. 2 red, cash elevator, $1 09; December, $1 10⅛@1 10¼; May, $1 12½; No. 2 hard, $1 08@1 10. Corn, No. 2 cash, 51c; December, 47c; May, 47¼c. Oats—No. 2 cash, 31½c; December, 32¼c; May, 34⅝c; No. 2 white, 34½c.

MILWAUKEE, Sept. 19.—Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1 18¼@1 19; No. 2 northern, $1 13@1 16; May, $1 09⅜ asked. Rye, No. 1, 77@77½c. Barley, No. 2, 57c; sample, 37@55c. Corn—No. 3, 53¼@54½c; May, 49¼c asked.

DULUTH, MINN., Sept. 19.—Wheat, new, No. 1 northern, $1 12¼; No. 2 northern, $1 07½; September, $1 12¼; December, $1 07½; May, $1 10¼.

Visible Supply of Grain.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The visible supply of grain Saturday, September 17, as compiled by the New York Produce exchange, was as follows: Wheat, 14,010,000 bushels, increase 895,000 bushels. Corn, 5,652,000 bushels, increase 951,000 bushels. Oats, 15,181,000 bushels, increase 3,347,000 bushels. Rye, 1,288,000 bushels, increase 94,000 bushels. Barley, 2,193,000 bushels, increase 1,014,000 bushels.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Cotton futures closed very steady. September, 10.62c; October, 10.41c; November, 10.43c; December, 10.46c; January, 10.47c; February, 10.51c; March, 10.56c; April, 10.58c; May, 10.60c. Spot closed steady. Mid ups, 10.90c; mid gulf, 11.15c; sales, 100 bales.

Financial and Trade Notes.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IA., Sept. 19.—The Cedar Rapids Supply Company, western distributors of an Ohio agricultural implement company, assigned today because of the alleged failure of Ohio connections to honor drafts of the local company. Liabilities and assets are estimated at several hundred thousand dollars.

CENTRAL FALLS, R. I., Sept. 19.—A two months' shutdown of the United States Cotton Company's mills here on account of a strike ended today. All departments resumed operations.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 19.—National bank notes received today for redemption, $767,600; government receipts from internal revenue, $1,305,971; customs, $705,446; miscellaneous, $66,688; expenditures, $1,770,000.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

PITTSBURGH UNION STOCK YARDS,
Monday, Sept. 19, 1904.

STOCK ON SALE.

	Cattle	Hogs.	Sheep
J. B. Huff & Co.	12	4	3
S. B. Hedges & Co.	16	5½	3½
McCall, Newburn & Joyce.	31	11¼	4
Brinkman, W. & B.	39	8	2½
L. Dyer & Co.	31	10½	5
Ohio L. S. Co.	11	5	4
S. O'Donnell	5	....	....
J. Needy & Co.	10	6	2
Huffman & M.	2	....	....
L. Lowenstein & Co.	2	....	....
F. A. Schmitz & Bro.	6	....	....
Late arrivals	35	19¾	6
Totals	200	70	30
Last Monday	130	43¾	23¼

SHIPMENTS.

	New York			Philadel'a.			Locals.		
	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.	C.	H.	S.
Monday	2	11	2	2	7	11	33	9	2
Tuesday	3	10	2	14	2	5	21	15	8
Wednesday	15	7	6	41	5	2	20	11	1
Thursday	3	3	10	6	2	3	10	6	2
Friday	3	8	15	10	3	3	21	3	1
Sat. and Sun.	5	25	5	14	6	15	49	7	3
Totals	31	64	30	87	25	39	155	51	17
Last week	37	47	39	50	29	37	110	36	23

SALES.

Day.	Cattle	Hogs	Sheep	C'lves
Monday	2799	8224	6151	796
Tuesday	6	834	279	168
Wednesday	....	2608	665	220
Thursday	2	1910	648	164
Friday	....	2214	443	162
Saturday	36	1075	118	97
Totals	2843	15855	8304	1607
Last week	2699	12485	9306	1806

FREIGHT RATES.

	Cattle.	Hogs.	Sheep.	Horses.
Boston	17	18	18	36
New York	17	18	18	39
Philadelphia	15	16	18	28
Baltimore	14	16	15	27
Washington	14	15	15	27

Cattle.

There was a big supply on hand, late arrivals bringing the total up to 200 cars. Prices were from 10 to 25 cents lower than one week ago. Extra stock is quoted about 10 cents lower. Quotations follow: Choice, 1,400 to 1,500 lbs., $5 50@5 65; prime, 1,300 to 1,400 lbs., $5 20@5 40; good, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., $4 80@5 10; tidy, 1,000 to 1,150 lbs., $4 25@4 50; fair, 900 to 1,100 lbs., $3 25@3 75; common, 700 to 900 lbs., $2 25@3 00; choice heifers, $3 75@4 25; common to good, $2 50@3 50; common to good fat cows, $1 50@3 50; common to good fat bulls, $2 00@3 50; good fresh cows and springers, $35 00@45 00; common to fair, $15 00@30 00.

Sheep and Lambs.

The market was slow yesterday, especially on sheep. Lambs were 10 cents lower. The supply amounted to 30 loads. Quotations follow: Prime wethers, 95 to 100 lbs., $4 25@4 50; good mixed, 85 to 90 lbs., $4 00@4 20; fair mixed, 75 to 80 lbs., $3 50@3 85; culls and common, $1 50@2 60; spring lambs, $3 50@6 00; veal calves, $7 00@7 50; heavy and thin, $3 50@4 50.

Hogs.

The hog market was somewhat of a contrast to that on cattle and sheep. All grades of hogs were in good demand and there was more activity generally than has been shown for some time. Receipts were 50 double-decks. Quotations follow: Prime heavy hogs, $6 30@6 35; mediums and heavy Yorkers, $6 40@6 45; light Yorkers, $6 20@6 30; pigs, $5 75@6 00; roughs, $4 00@5 40; stags, $3 00@4 00.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—Beeves—Receipts, 2,597 head. Feeling weak; few steers sold at $4 45@5 25; bulls, $2 60@2 85; cows, $1 25@2 50; exports tomorrow, 880 cattle, 1,283 sheep and 4,200 quarters of beef.

Calves—Receipts, 2,656 head. Market very slow and 25c lower. Veals, $5 00@8 25; few choice handy veals, $8 50; culls, $4 00@4 50; buttermilks and grassers, $2 50@3 25; feeders at $3 50; dressed calves lower; city dressed veals, $8@12½c per pound; country dressed, 7@11c. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 21,369 head. Sheep lower, but about steady; lambs 25@50c lower. Sheep, $2 50@4 25; sheep and yearlings mixed, $4 30@4 35; lambs, $5 00@6 25; choice, $6 30@6 35; Canada lambs, $5 75@5 80; culls, $4 00@4 50. Hogs—Receipts, 12,[illegible]1 head. Market uneven; some sales lower; state and Pennsylvania hogs, $6 25@6 60; mixed western, $5 80.

CHICAGO, Sept. 19.—Cattle—Receipts, 32,[illegible]0 head; Texans, 2,000 head; westerns, 7,000 head. Market 10@15c lower. Good to prime steers, $5 60@6 15; poor to medium, $3 50@[illegible]25; stockers and feeders, $2 25@3 85; cows and heifers, $1 50@4 85; canners, $1 50@2 25; bulls, $2 00@4 50; calves, $3 00@6 25; Texas steers, $4 00@5 00; western steers, $3 00@4 00. Hogs—Receipts, 19,000 head. Market 10@20c higher. Mixed butchers, $5 60@6 25; good to choice heavy, $5 80@6 22½; rough heavy, $5 40@5 70; light, $5 60@6 25; bulk of sales, $5 70@5 95. Sheep—Receipts, 40,000 head. Market slow. Good to choice wethers, $3 80@4 25; fair to choice mixed, $3 50@3 75; native lambs, $4 00@6 00.

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 19.—Today's cattle receipts were 26,000 head, the largest number of cattle received at the local yards since September, 1902. Three thousand southerns were included. Corn fed steers steady; others 10@15c lower; choice export and dressed beef steers steady at $5 25@6 25; fair to good steady at $4 00@5 00; western fed steers steady at $4 00@5 50; stockers and feeders 10@15c lower at $2 25@4 00; southern steers 10@20c lower at $2 50@3 60; southern cows 10@15c lower at $1 75@2 85; native cows, $1 50@3 75; native heifers, $2 50@4 25; bulls steady at $1 75@2 25; calves, $2 50@5 50. Hogs—Receipts, 2,400 head; market 10c higher; top prices, $5 85; bulk of sales, $5 75@5 82½; heavy, $5 75@5 80; packers, $5 75@5 85; pigs and lights, $5 65@5 85. Sheep—Receipts, 10,000 head; sheep steady; lambs 10c lower; native lambs, $4 00@5 50; native wethers, $3 25@4 00; native ewes, $3 00@3 60; western lambs, $4 00@5 35; western yearlings, $3 60@3 90; western sheep, $3 25@3 60; stockers and feeders, $2 75@4 00.

CINCINNATI, Sept. 19.—Hogs quiet; butchers, $6 15@6 20; common, $3 70@5 50. Cattle dull; fair to good shippers, $4 10@4 35; common, $2 00@2 50. Sheep steady at $1 00@3 40; lambs, $3 25@6 00.

The Bond Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—(Special.)—Government bonds closed ¼ higher bid for the 3s. The general bond market was active and on the whole firm, with the more important dealings in Burlington 4s, Rock Island collateral 4s, Colorado Midland 4s, Colorado Southern 4s, Consolidated Tobacco 4s, Distilling Corporation 5s, Union Pacific convertible 4s and Steel Sinking Fund 5s. District of Columbia 3s, '65s, 118½ bid; Philippine 4s, 110 bid. Price ranges were as follows:

	High.	Low.	Last Sale.
Japanese 6s	94½	94⅛	94½
Atchison general 4s	103½	103	103½
Do adjt. 4s (stamped)	94½	93	93
B. & O. S. W. 3½s	92	91½	91¾
C., B. & Q. joint 4s	97	96⅝	97
C., R. I. & P. col. 4s	76	75½	75¾
Do col. 5s	87½	87¼	87⅞
Colorado Midland 4s	67	64	67
Colorado & Southern 4s	85¼	84	85¼
Con. Gas con. 6s	184	183⅜	183½
Consolidated Tobacco 4s	73¼	72⅝	73⅛
Distillers 5s	73½	72½	73¼
Erie general 4s	87⅞	87½	87⅞
Erie Penn Coal col. trust 4s	93	92¼	92¼
Louisiana & Arkansas 5s	102⅞	102⅝	102⅞
Nassau Electric 4s	88½	87¾	87¾
Northern Pacific 1st 4s	105	104⅝	104¾
Do general 3s	74¼	74	74
Stand. Rope & Twine inc.	4½	3½	4
Union Pacific 1st 4s	104⅞	104½	104⅝
Do con. 4s	103⅞	103½	103⅝
U. S. Steel S. F. 5s	81⅞	81	81⅝
Do registered	81⅞	81⅞	81⅞
Wabash Deb. Bs	65	64½	65

Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—The demand for money was somewhat increased temporarily in the market today. Discounts strengthened, the conditions of the continental exchanges, especially in Germany, causing slight uneasiness.

Trading on the stock exchange was fairly cheerful and owing to the Jewish holiday was quiet.

Consols improved and closed easier. Home rails mostly had a better tone, operators being encouraged by the monetary tendency. Americans opened dull, moved irregularly to above parity and became rather idle. United States steel was the feature of the firmness. Prices closed easy. Grand Trunk opened dull on the traffic returns and recovered sharply. Foreigners were well supported. Japanese were active and higher. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 96¼. Consols for money, 88½. Consols for account, 88 9-16. Money, 1@1½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 2¼@2 5-16 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2 5-16@2⅜ per cent. Bullion amounting to £20,000 was withdrawn from the Bank of England today for shipment to South America.

PARIS, Sept. 19.—The tone on the bourse today was firm, but business was inactive. Russian imperial 4s were quoted at 93.40 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 501. The private rate of discount was 1⅝ per cent. Three per cent rentes 98 francs 27½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 21 centimes for checks.

BERLIN, Sept. 19.—Trading on the boerse today was narrow, owing to the Jewish holiday. Exchange on London, 20 marks 41 pfgs. for checks. Discount rates—Short bills, 2⅛ per cent; three months' bills, 3¼ per cent.

New York Mining Stocks.

Adams Con.	.40	Little Chief	.05
Alice	.20	Ontario	3.50
Breece	.16	Ophir	2.15
Brunswick Con.	.12	Phoenix	.17
Comstock Tunnel	.10	Potosi	.09
Con. Cal. & Va.	1.05	Savage	.15
Horn Silver	1.55	Sierra Nevada	.30
Iron Silver	1.35	Small Hopes	.25
Leadville Con.	.02	Standard	2.00

NEWS FROM THE MINES.

It is the opinion of those in a position to know that the output of the Klondike for the season of 1904 cannot fall short of $10,000,000. The summer is now so far advanced and the time for the closing down of all open work so near at hand that it is not a difficult matter to make an estimate of the aggregate value of the gold that has been mined during the year, and such will not fall short of the amount mentioned, says the Yukon World of Dawson City.

The story that Utah Con. of Bingham is to be added to the assets of the Amalgamated Copper Company of Montana refuses to be quieted, and while it is denied as frequently as it is exploited, assurance comes from the east that the event will positively take place.

While the principals are not yet ready to release the particulars, it became known yesterday that the deposits of gypsum in Iron county, Utah, that have been owned by Fred T. McGurrin and associates for some time have been sold to the representative of a very strong eastern syndicate, and that, at an early day the product will be put into commercial activity. To that end it is said the purchasing company will equip the deposits with a plant such as is employed in other countries, and that Utah will be made to supply the needs of the entire far west.

Russell & Sharp are making a great success of their leasing operations in the Cripple Creek district, notable among their leases being the Lonaconing of the El Paso Company and a block of the Colorado Boss on Raven hill. The lessees are about to commence sinking the shaft another 100 feet on each of these properties.

From the Lonaconing a carload of ore a day is sent out which returns average values of $50 to the ton, and another from the Colorado Boss which returns values of from two to three ounces to the ton.

On these two properties alone the lessees are now employing 100 men and have enough ore in sight to last them at the present rate of production until their lease expires.

The E. P. U. mine of Greenwood, B. C., has been purchased by a syndicate of local and North Dakota men, headed by W. F. Honey of Park River. The deal was made by Duncan McIntosh, manager of the Providence Mining Company, who will have charge. A considerable force of men wil be set to work immediately. D. McVicar has had the property under bond for two years and shipped several cars of high-grade ore.

Over the result of his observations at the properties of the Majestic Mining Company out of Milford, Utah, L. S. Cates, who has been identified with the Boston Con. of Bingham for some time, has returned from camp quite enthusiastic. Recent disclosures underground, said he, are all that has been exploited by the miners, and were the company in possession of irons required in the fluxing of its ores, the management could, with perfect consistency, blow in its smelter.

That a big strike has been made on the Vernal group near Goldfield, Nev.—the property on which Patrick Clark and Maj. B. C. Kingsbury recently threw up a bond—is the news contained in a letter from James R. Lawrence of Queen Canyon, Nev.

Nichols and associates who recently secured a lease on the Zoe property on Beacon hill, Cripple Creek, have finished the unwatering of the shaft and commenced to work on the ore body which was opened up by former lessees, and a shipment will leave the property in the course of two days that will return very handsome profits.

In the adjoining property the Gold Dollar Consolidated the ore shoot at a depth of 535 feet has been worked up to the line of the Zoe, where a very good grade of ore was taken out. From this point it shows the ore shoot dipping into the Zoe ground, so Mr. Nichols now has the big end of it.

The shareholders of the Latham Mining and Smelting Company at their annual meeting having ratified the recommendations of the management, it will proceed without delay with the equipment of its properties in Deep Creek with means for the active concentration of its ores. The method to be employed is that which has been devised by the National Pneumatic Ore Concentrating Company of Dayton, O.

Boston Copper Stocks.

(Reported by A. E. Masten & Co.)

STOCKS.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
Allouez	12½	12⅝	12	12
Adventure	....	....	....	2⅜
Arcadian	....	....	....	1
Atlantic	13	13	13	12¾
Bingham	27	27	26½	26¾
Calumet & Arizona	*95	†97	....	....
Calumet & Hecla	....	....	....	510
Centennial	27½	27¼	27¼	27
Calumet & Pgh.	*38	†40	....	38
Elm River	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼
Franklin	....	....	....	8½
Junction	*33	†34	....	....
Greene	*15¼	†15½	....	....
L. S. & Pgh. Dev.	*40	†41	....	41
Mass.	4	4	4	4¼
Mohawk	46	46	46	46
Michigan	....	....	....	6¼
Osceola	80	80	80	79½
Old Dominion	....	....	....	14¼
Old Colony	....	....	....	¾
Parrot	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
Phoenix	....	....	....	2
Pgh. & Duluth	*55	†56	....	60
Quincy	92	....	....	92
Range Consolidated	58¼	58⅛	58	57½
Swift	101¾	101¾	101¼	101¼
Trinity	....	....	....	6⅛
Tamarack	....	....	....	117
United Fruit	106¾	106¾	106¾	106
Utah	40½	40¾	40¼	40½
U. S. Mining	19⅞	20	19¾	19⅞
Victoria	4¼	4⅜	4¼	4¼
Wolverine	88	88	87	88
Winona	9	9	9	9
British Columbia	6¾	6¾	6¾	....

*Bid. †Asked.

The Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The London tin market scored another good advance, closing at £128 7s 6d for spot and £128 15s for futures. Locally prices ruled firm and lighter, though demand was light at the advance. Spot is quoted at $27 95@28 20. Copper also was higher in London, closing at £58 5s for both spot and futures. Locally prices showed a hardening tendency, with lake quoted at $12 62½@13 00; electrolytic at $12 50@12 75 and casting at $12 37½@12 50. Lead closed at £11 16s 3d in London and was also unchanged in the local market at $4 20@4 30. Spelter was unchanged at £22 10s in London and at $5 10@5 20 in the New York market. Iron closed at 50s 3d in Glasgow and at 43s 1½d in Middlesboro. Locally iron was unchanged. No. 1 foundry, northern, is quoted at $13 75@14 25; No. 2 foundry, northern, at $13 25@13 75; No. 1 foundry, southern, and No. 1 foundry, southern soft, at $13 50@13 75.

Coffee and Sugar.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.—The market for coffee futures opened steady at an advance of 5 points in response to continued reports of damage to the seed flowering and a rally in the French cables. Later it continued firm, showing at one time a net gain of about 10@15 points on covering, but later offerings became heavier and the market sagged off and closed barely steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points. Sales were reported of 46,500 bags, including December at $6 85@7 00; March at $7 20@7 30; May at $7 40@7 50 and July at $7 55@7 65. Spot Rio steady; No. 7 invoice, 8⅜c; mild, quiet. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining, 3⅝c; centrifugal, 96 test, 4 5-16c; molasses sugar, 3½c. Refined steady.

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Directors of Chamber of Commerce Defeat Resolution to Repeal Bond and Bank Bills.

EVASION ON TROLLEY LINE

The chamber of commerce will not oppose the city administration's plan for issuing $5,000,000 of bonds for filtration. The board of directors of the chamber yesterday defeated, by a vote of 13 to 3, a resolution asking that councils repeal the bond ordinance already passed, in which the interest on the bonds is fixed at 4 per cent, and to pass another ordinance reducing the interest to 3½ per cent, with a provision that the bonds shall be issued only as they are needed.

The resolution also contained a clause recommending that the bill selecting four banks as depositories for the next four years be repealed and that the funds of the city be deposited with a greater number of banks to be selected from those which will pay the city the highest rate of interest on the deposits. The four depositories selected arbitrarily by councils agree to pay the city only 2 per cent. This resolution was reported affirmatively to the board of directors by the committee on municipal affairs by Chairman H. D. W. English.

Mr. English and former Councilman W. H. Stevenson defended the resolution, which was attacked by James H. Willock, president of the Second National bank, one of the four banks selected as depositories. George H. Anderson, secretary of the chamber, Maj. A. P. Burchfield, and others, also opposed the resolution. Secretary Anderson declared that the bond issue and the city depositories were separate propositions and should not be considered together.

Wanted Both Bills Repealed.

Mr. English and Mr. Stevenson held that they were related to each other, because the proceeds from the sale of $5,000,000 worth of bonds in one lump are to be placed in the four banks chosen as the city depositories and that these banks will pay the city but 2 per cent for the use of the bond money while the city is paying 4 per cent on the bonds for a period of 30 years, at the end of which the last installment of bonds matures.

There were 16 members of the board present and only three voted for the resolution, these three being Mr. English, Mr. Stevenson and Oliver McClintock.

The board of directors also refused to take any legal steps to interfere with the construction of the Verner trolley line in the Grant boulevard, although the board adopted a resolution declaring that "the construction of said railway on the boulevard should be prevented." A motion, made by Mr. Stevenson, that the committee on municipal affairs should be authorized to employ legal counsel to "prevent" the building of the line on the boulevard was defeated.

The board adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, that the director of the department of public works and the city councils be urgently requested to provide for an asphaltum paving plant and all other necessary appliances in order to secure the immediate installation of a system that will insure prompt repairs and the best condition possible in street service.

An asphalt repair plant is not a new idea in Pittsburgh and has frequently been broached in councils. It was proposed this year to make an appropriation for an asphalt plant, but this plan was not carried out.

Morley to Be Present at Banquet.

A vote of thanks was given to the Wabash company for the free excursion to St. Louis recently, in which the members of the chamber of commerce participated. It was definitely decided to have the annual banquet of the chamber on November 4. Dr. W. J. Holland stated that John Morley, the noted member of the British parliament, who will be here to attend the Founder's day exercises at the Carnegie institute, would be present at the banquet.

The committee on the St. Louis exposition was given authority to have printed another issue of 15,000 or 20,000 booklets, containing a picture of the relief map and statistics of Pittsburgh industries, for distribution at St. Louis and by various business firms in Pittsburgh.

The resignation of Joseph W. Craig from the board of directors was accepted and John B. Jackson elected to the vacancy. The membership committee filed the applications of the following firms and individuals to membership in the chamber of commerce, and they were admitted:

W. O. Amsler, Samuel Andrews, J. William Barnes, Sanford B. Belden, Birmingham Fire Insurance Company, W. J. Black, Capt. O. A. Blackburn, John C. Bragdon, W. C. Clark, Central Expanded Metal Company, George F. Duck, W. H. Donner, John C. Fisher, C. J. Griffith, T. L. Gardner, William F. Hammel, Hathaway-Neely Office Furniture Company, H. C. Huston Lumber Company, David M. Kirk, T. J. Keenan, W. N. Kratzer & Co., Maximilian McClafferty, George D. Ogden, W. H. Plough, James M. Porter, P. F. Poorbaugh, Frank J. Posriel, Samuel A. Taylor, L. Vilsack, K. William Schuchman, F. M. Pease, James A. Sneaker, Petropelum Iron Works Company.

Hears of Relatives' Death.

No further particulars have been received in Munhall of the deaths of Mrs. Mary Price and her daughter, Miss Frances Price, who were drowned in Marshalls run, near Sweet Air, Md. Mrs. John L. Jessop of Munhall, daughter of Mrs. Price, left for Sweet Air several days ago. The drowning of Mrs. Price and her daughter is supposed to have occurred last Wednesday night.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Marriage licenses were issued to the following persons yesterday:

Eli Need	Batson, O.
Ella Beam	Allegheny
Joseph M. Becker	Pittsburgh
Maria Bllich	Pittsburgh
Archibald M. Gibson	Pittsburgh
Etta K. Cooper	Burnside
John Enches	Pittsburgh
Anna Urhen	Pittsburgh
R. E. Meeks	Pittsburgh
Sophie Sargent	Fredrickstown
Charles Johnston	Pittsburgh
Fannie W. Marker	Pittsburgh
Arthur E. Evans	Allegheny
Myrtle L. Eayre	Allegheny
Max Bornstein	Pittsburgh
Celia Hillenbrand	Pittsburgh
Frank J. Heinaner	McKees Rocks
Kathryn M. Rupert	McKees Rocks
Harry Flinn	Sewickley
Julia Eltschiager	Sewickley
Frank J. Franz	Allegheny
Agnes Heger	Allegheny
John Neville	Homestead
Alice Marsh	Homestead
Richard L. Draffen	Chicago
Eliza G. Mull	Allegheny
Henry Pendleton	Pittsburgh
Bertha Duff	Pittsburgh
John A. Lewis	Pittsburgh
Mildred A. Hudson	Pittsburgh
Roy C. Clark	Pittsburgh
Isabella Burns	Allegheny
James G. Lacock	Allegheny
Margaret Stiveson	Allegheny
Samuel Cohen	Pittsburgh
Annie Danenfeld	Pittsburgh
J. George Hager	Pittsburgh
Grace N. Moffat	Pittsburgh
Ralph V. Hukill	Wilkinsburg
Margaret J. McKown	Allegheny
James H. King	Pittsburgh
Hannah M. Dwyer	Pittsburgh
Wesley E. Robbins	Pittsburgh
Margaret A. Sherry	Pittsburgh
George Giron	Castle Shannon
Emma Mitchell	Castle Shannon
Hugh Gallagher	Turtle Creek
Mary McCarthy	Brinton
Charles E. Tyson	Pittsburgh
Lillian E. Sullivan	Pittsburgh
Homer D. L. Cooper	Freeport
Beulah A. Ross	Freeport
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Michael Lavin	Wilkinsburg
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George Hopper	Pittsburgh
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Bessie Stark	Coraopolis
Charles V. Baker	Aliquippa
Mary K. Reinhardt	Lyman
W. E. Nelson	Pittsburgh
Ella B. Belt	Pittsburgh
Mountain Mays	Pittsburgh
Ada Byron	Pittsburgh
M. S. Buck	Pittsburgh
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Ilana Kis	Allegheny
Phillip Rupp	Allegheny
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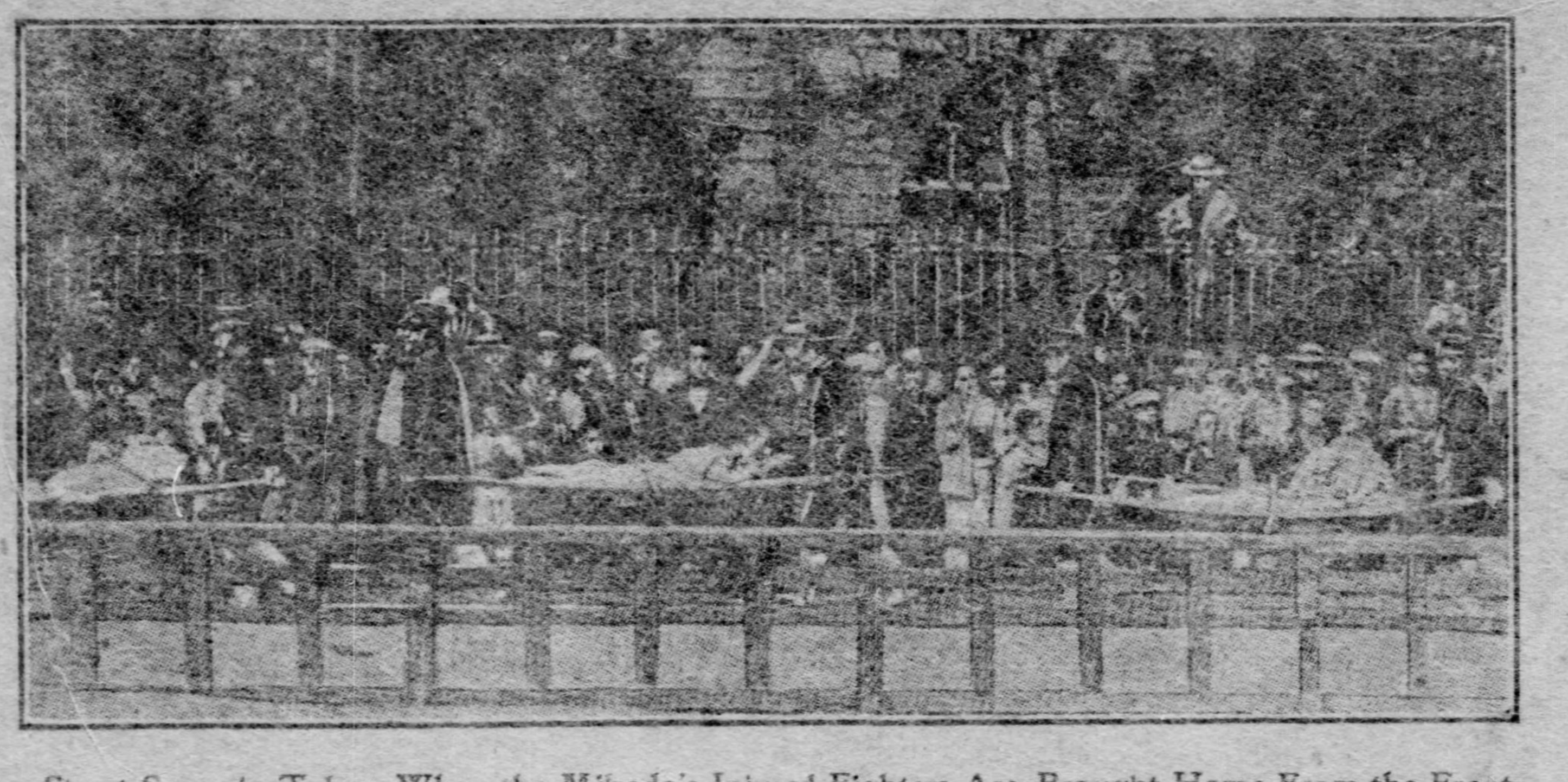
Homage to Japan's Wounded Heroes



Street Scene in Tokyo When the Mikado's Injured Fighters Are Brought Home From the Front.

GEO. S. FLEMING'S WILL IS FILED

A Hearing on the Caveat Develops No Evidence Against Its Probate.

ESTATE GOES TO THE WIDOW

Attorney W. J. Brennen offered the will of the late George S. Fleming for probate yesterday, and Register George H. Stengel went into a hearing on the caveat filed at the instance of Mrs. Annie F. Richardson and Mrs. Martha F. Rutan, sisters of the dead man. The sisters were not present at the hearing, but Mrs. Fleming, elegantly dressed in black, listened attentively to the proceedings. Attorney O. S. Richardson appeared in support of the caveat, which was filed by Attorney John C. Slack. Mr. Slack is out of the city.

The will was followed by a codicil and witnesses to both testamentary parts were called an examined. Alderman S. J. Toole and M. J. Clark were the witnesses to the will proper, and Edward Grindell and Lawrence McDonald to the codicil. The will was written September 26, 1903, and the codicil on October 20 of the same year. While the exact wording was not made public, it is known that the greater part of the estate, which is roughly estimated as being worth $200,000, was left to the widow.

The witnesses testified to having witnessed Fleming's signature at his suggestion. He remarked at the time that he believed everyone should take such a step, when he was in the proper mind to do so. Cross-examination did not develop anything to the effect that the making and signing of the will and codicil had been out of the ordinary.

After the witnesses had been heard Attorney Richardson stated he had no evidence to offer in opposition to the probate, but he asked that a postponement be allowed to give Attorney Slack, who might have some evidence to show why the will should not be probated, an opportunity to present it. The attorney said he understood Fleming had married only about a year ago, and referred the remark to Attorney Brennen, who nodded his head. The attorney further remarked Fleming had been estranged from his friends shortly before his death, and it was well the circumstances surrounding the making of the will be explained. His remarks indicated that there is little reason for believing that the paper purporting to be the will will not be probated. The hearing was continued until next Monday.

Visitors in Pittsburgh.

The following people registered at Pittsburgh hotels last night:

Monongahela—W. C. Wilson, Erie; J. D. Ground, Steubenville; H. M. Watson, Uniontown.

Henry—R. J. Linton, Bellevernon; George White, Marietta; Robert Coffey, Oceola Mills; J. J. Donnelly, Patton, Pa.; E. J. Beatty, Franklin, Pa.

Duquesne—R. H. Wilson, Oil City; M. C. Hanna, Morgantown.

Lincoln—D. V. Good, Wheeling.

Colonial—L. C. Morris, Warren, Pa.; O. C. Lake, Leetonia; Frank B. Wilson, Morgantown.

Anderson—D. W. Bray, Johnstown.

Seventh Avenue—R. B. Howard, Bradford; L. M. Brown, Bedford; O. L. Smith, J. H. Wilson, Wheeling; Frank Brown, Weston, W. Va.

Antler—J. S. Fell, Uniontown; W. James, Oil City.

DEMOCRATS QUIT PARTY IN INDIANA

Charles A. Towne Says There Is Too Much Apathy in Hoosier State to Suit Him.

MAJORITY IS FOR ROOSEVELT

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

SARATOGA, N. Y., Sept. 19.—Depressing Democratic news from Indiana was brought to the delegates of the Democratic convention here by ex-United States Senator Charles A. Towne, now one of Tammany's leading lights, who is stumping the country under the auspices of "Tom" Taggart's committee. Mr. Towne has just returned from a tour of Indiana. Regarding the situation there he said today:

"Things don't look very favorable in Indiana from the Democratic standpoint. If the election should be held tomorrow Roosevelt would carry the state.

"Lots of Democrats out there will vote for Roosevelt. Beside, the Watson will draw a big Democratic vote. A good many Democrats in Indiana are keeping very quiet. A great many voters say they haven't yet made up their minds what to do. There is too much Democratic apathy out there to suit me."

WORKMEN'S HOMES BURNED.

Five Houses Destroyed by Fire While Firemen Are Helpless.

A row of five houses in Munhall hollow, near Homestead, was totally destroyed by fire last night. The loss, including furniture, was about $8,000. The houses were owned by the Munhall estate and occupied by John Eckman, William Connors, Andy Provoski, John Cuchman and Joseph Barker, all workers in the Homestead mills.

The fire started in the Cushman house about 10:30 o'clock. An appeal for help was sent to the Homestead Volunteer Fire Department No. 1, which after a three-mile run with hook and ladder wagon and chemical engine, reached the scene half an hour later. The fire was then beyond control and the firemen, in the absence of water pressure, were unable to save any of the houses.

New Date Set for Wales Case.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 19.—The action brought by Lawyer A. D. Wales of this city against John Mitchell, president of the United Mine Workers of America, to recover $200,000 for services in bringing about the settlement of the great anthracite coal strike, was set for trial October 3, by Justice Lyon of the supreme court today.

New Russian Cruiser Completed.

LONDON, Sept. 19.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says the Russian cruiser Izumrud, sister ship to the famous Novik, has completed successfully her trials at Cronstadt, and will join the second Pacific squadron at Reval.

Captured a British Steamer.

MADRID, Sept. 19.—The Correspondencia of this city published a dispatch from Bilbao today to the effect that a Russian cruiser had been seen off Cape St. Maria, and that she fired two shots at and took posession of a merchant vessel, supposed to be a British steamer.

HEAVY GUNS FOR TAMMANY HALL

Gov. Odell Will Open Campaign by an Attack on Democracy's Stronghold.

SENATOR KNOX WILL SPEAK

THE PITTSBURGH GAZETTE BUREAU.
Herald Building, Herald Square.
NEW YORK, Sept. 19.

Gov. Odell and his lieutenants, who are in charge of the Republican campaign in New York state, have arranged to turn their heaviest guns on Tammany's stronghold in this county during the remainder of the campaign, and to that end the ablest defenders of Republican theories in the country, including present and former members of the president's cabinet, are to be heard in Manhattan borough.

By appealing to George B. Cortelyou, chairman of the Republican national committee, for aid to win New York, Gov. Odell has been able to obtain outside aid. John Hay, secretary of state; William H. Taft, secretary of war; Senator Knox, Senator Fairbanks, Elihu Root and Frank S. Black head the list of prominent Republicans who are to be heard between now and election day. At least one big meeting each week is to be held.

The chief effort of the campaign will be the meeting to be held by the Republican club, probably in Madison Square garden, in the near future, at which John Hay is to make the principal speech. It is possible, however, that the meeting may be held in Carnegie hall, as there is some doubt as to the willingness of the secretary of state to appear in Madison Square garden.

Lafayette Gleason opened the speakers' bureau at state headquarters in the Fifth avenue hotel today and started the machinery by which he expects to move more than 200 speakers from town to town in the interior of the state, beginning Wednesday and continuing until the Saturday before election day. He has arranged to cover each county.

John M. Thurston is to open the campaign in the interior of the state tomorrow night with a speech at Waterloo. Next week he and James Wilson, the secretary of agriculture, will travel together through the southern tier of counties.

Gov. Odell returned to his work at headquarters today. State headquarters was increased from two to nine rooms and his lieutenants were made to feel his presence by the countless demands on them. FRANK A. PARKER.

RANKIN MEN HURT.

Two Workmen at Blast Furnace May Lose Their Lives.

Lawrence Burns of Thirteenth street, Braddock, an engineer at the Carrie blast furnaces, was badly scalded yesterday. A valve of one of the steam pipes burst and Burns' face, arms, neck, back and breast were burned. He was taken to the Mercy hospital.

Antonio Burrish of Rankin, employed in the yards of the same furnaces, was buried under falling ore yesterday morning. His right leg was broken in two places and he was injured internally. He cannot recover.

JEWS OBSERVED ATONEMENT DAY

Solemn Festival of Hebrews Celebrated by Close Fasting and Much Prayer.

SCENE IN ORTHODOX MEETING

"Yom Kippur," the day of atonement, the most solemn festival of the Jewish church, was celebrated yesterday throughout the world, wherever Jews are allowed to conduct worship.

There is no festival of the Jews to which so much importance is attached as to this one. Not even the Feast of the Passover is looked upon with so much solemnity.

In all the orthodox synagogues of this city yesterday special services were held in honor of the occasion. The day of atonement began at sundown, or 6 o'clock, Sunday evening, and ended at 6 o'clock last evening. During that 24 hours the faithful are prohibited from eating. Even water is taken in sparing quantities.

The orthodox Jews, who mostly inhabit the Hill district, gathered yesterday in Turner hall, in Forbes street. All day long they engaged in chanting, or reading the ritual prepared for the occasion. The scene was a curious one to Gentile eyes. The men all wore scarfs of striped goods. On the stage of the hall were seated the leaders of the church, covered with their big scarfs and chanting the service. There seemed to be an utter lack of order in the proceedings. Every man read aloud and as fast as he was able. There was no concert in the service. They sat down or stood up, walked about, went in and out, as the mood seemed to seize them. Their appearance as the day drew on became haggard as the want of food began to make itself felt. There were no children in the audience. Children under a certain age, as well as invalids, are exempt from the obligation to fast. As the hour drew near when the great fast would end the service seemed to be redoubled in intensity. There was the deepest religious feeling through it all.

When 6 o'clock came the service ended and the obligation to fast being removed from all, food was partaken of and a season of rejoicing began. During the 24 hours not a store in the Hill district conducted by a Jew was open.

MRS. PHIPPS AND HER TWO CHILDREN IN THIS CITY

They Concluded the Long Ride from Denver Last Night and Are at Grandview.

Mrs. Genevieve Chandler Phipps and her two children, Helen and Dorothy Phipps, arrived in the city last night, after a long ride from Denver. A carriage was in waiting for them and they were rapidly driven to the family residence, "Grandview." Waiting for them was Mrs. Phipps' aunt, Mrs. Chandler, and the house butler. The trio were quickly taken from the carriage and hurried into the large reception hall, where several maids took charge of Helen and Dorothy.

Mrs. Phipps stopped long enough to greet her servants in the large reception hall. Her face was covered with smiles. She refused to see visitors, saying she was very tired after her trip.

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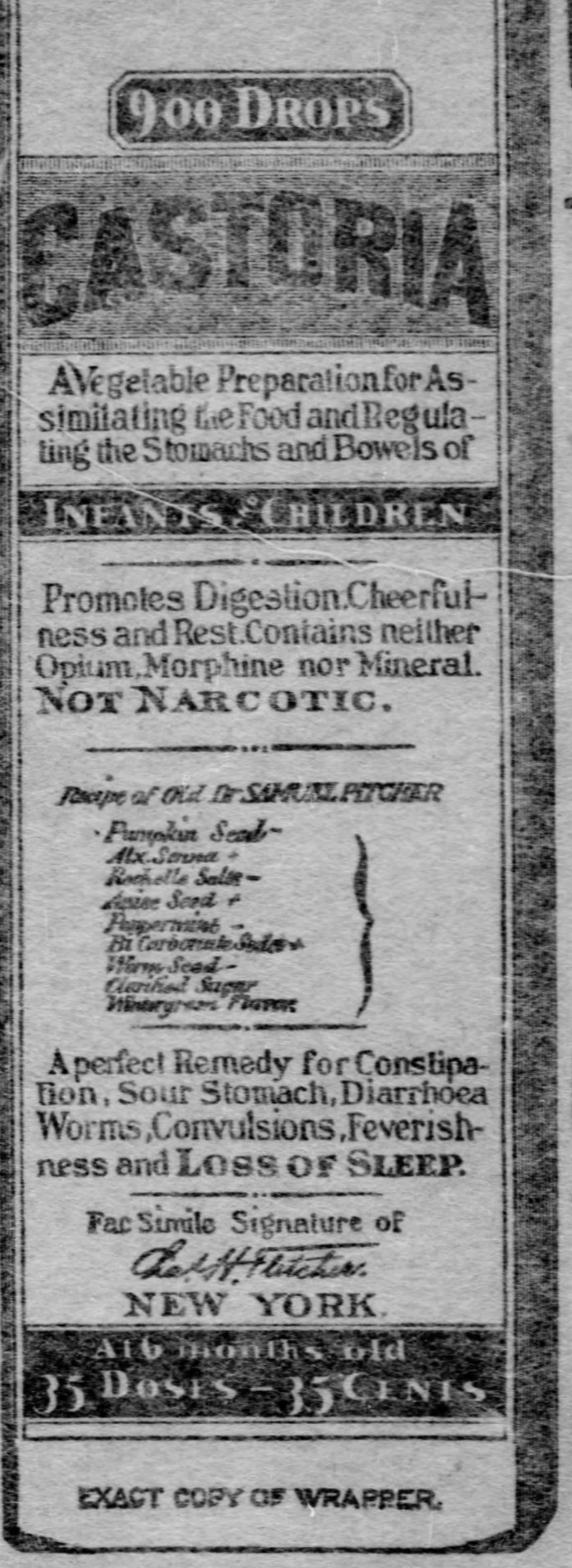

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